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Hints at Hidden Graft in Affairs Of Air Service

Thomas F. Lane Testifies He Was Dismissed From Position for Reporting to Sec. Weeks.

Washington April 3—The Daugherty investigating committee today subpoenaed Secretary Weeks to appear as a witness tomorrow morning.

The summons directed the secretary to bring certain papers relating to aircraft frauds taken from Thomas F. Lane who was suspended from the air service a day or two after refusing to comply with a request that he stay away from the committee.

Washington April 3—Thomas F. Lane until a week ago legal adviser to the chief of the army air service, told the senate Daugherty investigating committee today he had been ordered by Captain Volandt of the air service to stay away from the committee and the capital. When he said he decided to disobey the order he was dismissed.

On motion of Senator Jones, the committee decided to notify Secretary Weeks of Lane's testimony.

PAPERS WERE TAKEN

A witness said papers in his possession in connection with the cases had been taken from his home by Captain Volandt and have not been returned. Senator Jones said he believes the cases involve the Standard Aircraft corporation and other contractors who supplied war planes to the army. He declared he felt there was some evidence of graft in the purchase of the planes.

The committee decided to call on Attorney General Daugherty for a full report on the Standard case.

SUBPOENA WEEKS

Senator Wesley L. Jones, the committee chairman, said Secretary Weeks would be asked to produce all papers in his possession relating to the Standard Aircraft case, the Lincoln Motor case, the Standard Aircraft case and the Lesh Marine case. In all of which he charged that overpayments had been made by the government. In the Lincoln case he said the department of justice made a settlement over the protest of the war department and he said that when it was brought to Coolidge's attention the other war department representatives will be out of the conference.

NO UNFIT OFFICERS

Jones insisted he was for uncovering wrongdoers wherever they might be found. He said he had suspended Lane when he refused to go to the office and that Lane was later separated from the service by direction of Secretary Weeks.

The witness said that when Lane failed to appear he had wired Lane to work on the Standard and McDonnell Knight cases in order to rush them to the department of justice for action. The Standard case went over about five days ago. Jones said he decided that committees probing alleged crimes should not be upset by the action of any one department.

Lane's brief bag was seized at the air service office the night before the witness said and was in the safe.

WILL REOPEN NEW CASTLE CONSULATE

British and Americans Settle Dispute.

Washington April 3—The American consulate at New Castle-On-Tyne is to be reopened after a year and a half of controversy between the United States and Great Britain over conduct of consular officers there. Settlement of the dispute was announced last night.

Charges of exceeding their authority against Consul Fred C. Slater and Vice Consul H. M. Brooks were withdrawn by the British government and Ambassador Kellogg notified Premier Macdonald that Charles Nesmith had been appointed to take charge of the New Castle post.

Consul Slater and Vice Consul Brooks were charged by the British shipping interests and the British foreign office with presenting difficulties in the issuance of visas to passengers planning to sail in British ships.

SAYS PACIFICISM IS BOLSHEVISM'S TOOL

Indianapolis April 3—Extreme pacifism extended to movements among women and children of America is being used as a tool of Bolshevism and radicalism, Garland W. Powell, director of the National Americanism commission of the American Legion declared today.

Mr. Powell warned legionnaires against a national anti war campaign directed by the Woman's Peace society. Mr. Powell asserted the movement is finding fertile field among school children.

NEWTON JENKINS FLAYS TAXATION

"Unconscionable Burden" Candidate Claims.

Chicago April 3—Declaring taxation is a burden and a violation of the United States constitutional rights, Newton Jenkins, candidate for Republican nomination for United States senator from Illinois, decried today before the Lincoln club.

Taxation has become an unconscionable burden, he said. There is at this time a widespread inspired movement to disturb equilibrium and certain those best able to pay.

MUST FOR ACTION

To end this evil tendency, he said, the present distribution of burdens of taxation must be changed. Voters should vote only for candidates who stand for a return to affirm at the state and our support of federal income, inheritance and excess profits taxes. Let taxes be reduced but let them accord with the ability to pay.

Legitimate business interests of this country have never been complacent in such a high tribute to government as today. What with excessive one hand and campaign contributions and gifts on the other, one is beating in unconscionable burden. Honest legitimate business should not be compelled to pay its rights guaranteed under the constitution and under the law.

A. B. SEE HAS HIS SAY ABOUT WOMEN

Calls Girls "Insolent, Heartless, Brutal and Brazen."

New York April 3—Woman suffrage has brought into being a flock of evils to women and children, including abandonment of decorum and the courtesy, according to A. B. See, president of the Eleventh congressional district of that state.

Mr. See said women in politics in New York state, which he refuses to call the building field of a woman's college, took a touched another broad side in a letter to the Lucy Stone League which advocates women's retention of their maiden names after marriage.

FLINT MORE FLEET

Since suffrage, the wicked women, dressing more in accordance with the fashions and smoking more cigarettes, walk the streets in suggestive ways with brazen faces, the face abandoned corsets and use more cosmetics.

When a woman dances, he adds, she lolls on the man's shoulder and does not keep his time.

Young girls the latter says have become insolent to their parents, heartless, brutal and brazen.

SAY M'CRAY GAVE FALSE STATEMENT

Indianapolis April 3—Testimony to show that a financial statement given by a state board of agriculture by Governor McCray at the time he obtained $1,000 from the board was false was begun Wednesday at the trial of the executive on a charge of embezzlement.

McCray, at the time of obtaining the money is alleged to have represented himself as being worth approximately $1,000,000, listing assets at $[illegible] and liabilities at $[illegible].

TO TRY ZIHLMAN, LANGLEY IN SECRET

Washington April 3—Investigation of charges against Representatives Langley of Kentucky and Zihlman of Maryland Republicans by a special House committee will be conducted behind closed doors but a stenographic report of all testimony will be made public when the committee submits its findings to the House.

NORTH CAROLINA'S GOVERNOR MARRIES

Durham N. C. April 3—Governor Morrison of North Carolina and Mrs. Sarah Watts widow of George W. Watts millionaire philanthropist were married.

ROALD AMUNDSEN TALKS POLE FLIGHT

Rome, April 3—Roald Amundsen explorer, arrived in Rome to confer with technical experts concerning his coming attempt to fly to the North Pole.

BLAMES DEMOS FOR LOST CASTE

Senator Pepper Says Both Parties Discredited By Activity.

[illegible] April 3—Democratic [illegible] to inflict [illegible] upon the Republican party [illegible] succeeded in discrediting both political parties, Senator Pepper, Republican, declared in an address today before the Illinois state convention.

This discredited [illegible] he said, [illegible] point. Senator Pepper asserted that an irresponsible and dangerous third party has sprung into existence, he [illegible] the nation.

HIT AMERICA

[illegible] he said, has forfeited whatever claim it [illegible] public confidence it possessed. Upon its [illegible] the responsibility [illegible] safeguard [illegible] republic.

[illegible] to which [illegible] attention from the great problems will inevitably [illegible] sound [illegible].

When [illegible] people [illegible] to hear the [illegible] position on public questions and what the party is attempting to accomplish, one body [illegible] to shout. How about [illegible] Dry [illegible] Dry [illegible] Dry [illegible] the cupon [illegible] threats and [illegible] in [illegible] indifference [illegible] obscured [illegible] mass of [illegible].

PROVEN MISTAKES

The appointment of Forbes as head of the Veterans bureau and of Lane as secretary of the interior have proved to be the mistakes while the selection of Mr. Daugherty as attorney general was a positive error in judgment.

I am speaking of these failures of the dead—of a [illegible] whose virtues were many and whose lapses were few, of a [illegible] who left [illegible] on a catalogue of [illegible] achievements and who gave his life for country and for me. When any man undertakes to disturb the repose of that [illegible] I shall [illegible] a political ghoul and declare him unfit for the society of decent people.

HEAVE TALK

During the progress of these so called investigations many good citizens and wise editors have been exhorting Republican senators to show the fighting spirit. Since we have tacked actual legislative control this advice has amounted to no thing more than an appeal for brave talk. And brave talk without power to make it effective is the sure sign of a shallow mind.

The time for talk, that is easy, has gone when you have a position to defend which is fundamentally sound, though unpopular. When party machines have been made to yield, to admit their and to limit talk to Republican achievements.

Senator Pepper charged that the Democrats have created a situation in which constructive legislation is difficult if not impossible.

MELLON GET STARTED

As a result, he continued, the administration forces have been able to go little more than make a beginning of translating into law the program of President Coolidge.

During the residue of this session, he said, we shall do what we can to move forward in the right direction.

Senator Pepper declared that an effort would be made in the senate to diminish the damage done to the Mellon tax plan in the house, but that the result is in grave doubt.

HAMILTON AND MELLON

In approaching the tax schedule Senator Pepper said history would bind the name of Alexander Hamilton with that of A. W. Mellon as the greatest of financial geniuses.

Declaring that the government has done less for farmers in general than for any other economic groups the senator said the constant effort of wise legislators would be to reduce the spread between the farmers price and the consumers price. Two dangers are to be guarded against, he went on, one an emotion emergency relief which wasted money without doing good and the other sectional legislation.

SHOWS JURY ANKLES WERE DAMAGED AT LEAST $1000 WORTH

Peoria Ill. April 3—A jury in branch court here awarded damages of $1,000 to Mrs. Lena Barnewalt after she had bared her pretty ankles and demonstrated to the satisfaction of the jury that they were damaged to that extent when she was injured in an automobile accident.

The verdict was against William Zelewski suit being for $10,000 following an accident in which she suffered as a bystander.

DREYER'S BODY IS RETURNED TO BERLIN

Berlin April 3—Nationalists demonstrated and police prevented a serious collision with Republicans when the body of Wilhelm Dreyer German youth who died in a French prison while serving a sentence for sabotage in the Ruhr arrived in Berlin.

HOME, MAYBELLE!

It isn't "Home James" for Senator Magnus Johnson. He has a young lady for a chauffeur. Miss Maybelle Hogan shown at wheel. The other young woman is Mrs. Ira L. Grangquish employed in Johnson's office in the capitol.

SUBPOENA TWO IN OIL PROBE

Washington April 3—Subpoenas were issued today by the senate oil committee for the appearance here Monday of J. [illegible] Oklahoma City, Okla., and [illegible] Wolfe of Columbus, Ohio, of the Ohio State Journal. Both will be questioned as to gossip about oil deals at the Republican [illegible].

U. S. GLOBE FLIERS TO START FRIDAY

Test Four Planes with Full Loads.

Seattle Wash. April 3—The airmen of the United States around the earth are here on a trip around the earth to be tested with full loads Thursday and may leave Friday for Prince Rupert, B. C., 600 miles to the north. Major Frederick L. Martin commanding, announced Wednesday.

The plane City of Boston, Lieut. Lowell H. Smith, was moved to the water after having had a leak in a pontoon repaired.

Major Martin explained that the American aviators would be pioneering almost from the time they leave here until they reach Europe and that the difficulties would be especially great on the 4,000 miles trip from Seattle to the Kurile Islands.

START RECLAMATION OF 11,000 ACRES

Chicago April 3—Chicago's $60,000,000 south side improvement plant involving reclamation of 11,000 acres of land east of the Michigan shore, getting its full swing again with the disappearance of ice floes.

For six miles along the lake front from Grant Park to Fifty first street the shore line is being pushed out from one half to one mile to permit of a double row of boulevards and park space.

Between five and six million cubic yards of filling will be done during the coming season, according to Fenn White, chief engineer of the South Park commissioners, the body independent of the city and county governments is handling the entire project—one of the very largest civic improvement enterprises undertaken in the United States.

INDICT 30 NEW YORK STOCK BROKERS

New York April 3—Thirty indictments today were returned against the four members of the bankrupt stock brokerage firm of E. W. Wagner and company which failed Dec. 1, 1921, for $10,000,000. The members of the firm which maintained branches in Chicago and 20 other cities were charged with trading as brokers against the orders of customers.

CONNECTICUT HAS G. O. P. CONVENTION

Hartford Conn. April 3—The Republican state convention today elects seventeen delegates to the Cleveland convention. Lieutenant Governor Hiram Bingham in his address as temporary chairman last night said that in Calvin Coolidge were the characteristics and traditions of those who took their lives in hand and signed the declaration of independence.

COMPLETE FOREIGN CEMETERIES MAY 30

Washington April 3—Completion of all construction work on the eight American military cemeteries in Europe by May 30 Memorial Day was forecast in a report received Wednesday by Major-General W. H. Hart from Quartermaster corps officers overseas in Chicago of the work.

SEE DEATH OF FARM AID BILL

Experts Predict Either Failure or Amendment of Measure.

By MARK SULLIVAN.

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Washington D. C. April 3—The first judgment is that the McNary-Haugen bill, as the chief of the wheat farmers will have it on Friday, will be defeated.

One outcome will be that the bill, if it will be defeated, will be the effect will be that the debate on it which will shortly begin in the house will integrate a campaign in which participants looking to a reduction of the tariff is being the real cure for the farmers troubles. This tariff reduction will not be accomplished of course during the present session.

But the Democrats in connection with this bill will have the ground for introducing the tariff as an issue in the coming campaign and for a platform relating the tariff to the cost of living. The fall elections.

NOT YET PERFECTED

The McNary-Haugen bill is not yet perfected. But omitting details its general purpose is to raise the price of wheat to farmers by a price for the product which shall be on a par with the prices being received by other business men and other forms of labor, that is $1.60 relative to a dollar before the war.

The farmer however and especially in the wheat farmer [illegible] only a dollar.

HOW DONE

The theory of the McNary-Haugen bill is to set up a commission and a corporation managed by government officials which shall manipulate the marketing of wheat so as to keep up the price of wheat to the world at a level so as to enable the farmer to receive for his wheat something approaching the $1.60 that other business men and other forms of labor are receiving.

The bill has strong advocates and strong opponents. But the judgment of the present writer is that the opposition to the bill comes from such quarters that the ultimate outcome will be failure.

Of many objections made perhaps the principle one is that the bill if it should become a law would in its operation be the beginning of inflation.

WOULD ASSO RISE

The theory is that just as soon as the price of wheat should be raised artificially by the government corporation to something approaching $1.50 the price of flour and bread would go up automatically in the same degree. Thereupon labor in other lines would say that the price of living had increased and that therefore labor must receive "let us say $1.60."

At that point the farmer would say that he too must receive $1.60. Thereupon again labor in other lines would say there had been another increase in the cost of living and demand still another advance in wages. The consequence would be according to those who hold this theory that there would be a vicious circle of constantly rising prices which would benefit no one permanently and in the end would lead to collapse.

SEE TWO METHODS

Those who hold this theory say that there are two ways to bring about parity between what the farmer receives for his product and what is received by other labor and other commodities. One way they say is to try to raise the price of the farmers product artificially by government action. The other is to allow the wages and prices received by other lines to settle down gradually to approximately what the farmer is receiving.

They say, in short, that the farmer's troubles will be cured as completely by a national decrease in the price of what he has to buy as by an at-

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LABORIST PARTY MEETS DEFEAT

Group Sees Chief Plank, Capital Levy, Voted Down.

London April 3—A motion of commons rose at 9 o'clock this morning after an all night session during which it rejected the proposal to capital levy, the chief labor plank in the last election by a vote of [illegible] to 10. Action came on a Conservative motion designed to force the government to define its attitude on the question.

Premier Baldwin, government leader in the house, admitted that the Laborites could not hope for the passage of such a measure in the present parliament but maintained that the country would ultimately be forced to it by its debt.

WOMEN STAY

Miss Margaret Bondfield, Miss Dorothy Jewson and Lady Terrington stuck to their posts throughout the session.

Most of the discussion concerned the army and air force annual bill to which extremists proposed several amendments. They were rejected.

One sought to abolish the death penalty for desertion, cowardice and similar offenses in war time.

RIGHT TO APPEAL

Another would give a conscript soldier the right of appeal to a civil court. The third proposed that upon enlistment a soldier be given the option of refusing duty if called on to aid the civil power in connection with a trade dispute.

The government evaded defeat in connection with the rent bill by consenting to revision of the clause objected to by Liberals and Conservatives providing that a tenant should not be liable to eviction for non payment of rent when such failure to pay was due to inability to obtain employment.

GRAND JURY WILL PROBE CICERO RIOT

Chicago April 3—Grand jury action in connection with the shooting and rioting that attended the village election of Cicero yesterday, resulting in the death of two men loomed will the investigation started by County Judge Jarecki into the causes of the violence.

Frank Camponi one of the two men killed was shot down by policemen on whom he opened fire with a revolver. A coroner's jury today exonerated the policeman and commended Sergeants P. J. McGlynn and Lionel Croggan for upholding the law.

Four precinct watchers also are missing and police have begun a search into the mystery surrounding their disappearance.

STUDENTS DEFEND NEGRO CLASSMATE

New York April 3—Three students living in Furnald Hall Columbia university Wednesday launched a counter movement in favor of Frederick J. Wells negro student after other students yesterday sought to oust him from the dormitory.

New York April 3—The fiery cross blazed last midnight on the campus of Columbia university.

It was set up and fired by a group of white robed and hooded men opposite Furnald Hall where Frederick W. Wells negro law student has a room from which students have recently attempted to oust him.

Wells remained in his locked room heedless of the calls and knocks of his neighbors.

POLICE HUNT FACTS IN BANDIT SLAYING

Chicago April 3—One man is held and search is being made for others who may be implicated in the killing last night of Joseph Mauter 19 drug clerk shot by bandits who robbed a drug store across the street from the city hall in the heart of the business district.

Officers believe that while Dan Bullard the man held may not be personally involved they may be able to obtain information regarding the slayers.

WEATHER MAN UP IN FREE BALLOON

Belleville Ill. April 3—Ten thousand feet in the air in a free balloon Dr. C. L. Mustique of the United States Weather Bureau and Lieutenant Lawson of Scott Field made Wednesday afternoon completing the first of fifteen flights for the purpose of observing the behavior of a particular particle of air at a constant altitude. They expect to stay in the air twenty hours.

RADIO FANS READY TO SHARE COSTS

Kansas City, April 3—Radio fans are willing to share the cost of programs which are becoming more expensive since musicians refused to take part without pay.

Ten days ago a local station issued an invitation to listeners to purchase "seats" in the invisible theater. Ten thousand dollars has been received from 1,800 fans in every state Canada and Mexico.

The contributions average $[illegible]. The station expects to raise $100,000.

Republican "Die Hards" Would Gag Women

Expect Ruction at Cleveland Convention Over Statu-; Irreconcilables Do Not Favor Any Concessions.

BY ROBERT J. SMALL

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Chicago April 3—Rumblings of ructions at the Republican national convention over the plan to place women on a complete equality with the men members of the national committee can be heard here in the middle west.

The irreconcilables among the new order do not believe that a woman is entitled to a place on the national committee simply because she is a woman and yet they say that she has already been elected in the democratic party and has been recommended to the Cleveland convention in the case of the G. O. P.

SHOULD ENTITLE

The plan is to provide that in each state there shall be one national committeeman and one national committeewoman. The die-hards say it is perfectly all right and proper to have women eligible to national committee membership but they feel that if a woman is in the job she should get the title [illegible] a man candidate and if she can't win out under such circumstances she is not good.

The die-hards have [illegible] to believe to be a perfect logical argument against the plan of distinguishing [illegible] the [illegible] of the national committee.

[illegible] the [illegible] committee [illegible] because there is no [illegible] women [illegible] the [illegible] in the [illegible] each state [illegible] representative and a national committeeman from each congressional district. Why not a congressman and a woman governor of each state?

TWO PRESIDENTS

And trying to the height of their argument they demand to know if in the last analysis it would not be just as logical for the women to demand that there be a national President and a woman President of the United States.

Some of the older members of the Republican national committee resent the fact that their position in state politics is to be curtailed with women in and that they are to be cut down from a whole vote to half a vote. They are perfectly willing to have their place on the committee contested by a woman and say that if she can win the place she is entitled to a vote to represent the state.

DYNAMITE IN ISSUE

Committee officials recognize that there is dynamite in the issue which the die-hards propose to raise. They are desirous of smoothing things over if possible. Already the Republican women have suffered many taunts from their Democratic sisters over the supposed tardiness of the G. O. P. in granting women full representation on the committee.

The issue raises the whole question of the position of the women voters in the parties. Most of the national women leaders claim they do not want any special consideration but complete equality of opportunity. They are demanding that laws which discriminate in favor of them as well as those which discriminate against them be repealed. They want women made eligible to every office in every state as well as in the government service. With all of this the die-hards of the national committee claim to be in full sympathy. But they say that in practical matters the women are placing themselves in the position of demanding office because they are women and not because they are simply members of the party.

WOMAN VOTE

At the same time there is to be a wild fight for the woman vote in the coming election and the Republican party leaders who are to become responsible for the Coolidge campaign are anxious that nothing shall be done to alienate in the slightest way any feminine strength within the party.

They say there is no doubt but that the women will be granted full membership on the national committee at Cleveland even if it is a step in the direction of recognizing a woman "boss" within the party.

LAFOLLETTE AND SMITH HOLD LEADS

Coolidge Far Behind in Wisconsin Election.

Milwaukee April 3—(AP)—Returns for Republican delegates at large to the Cleveland convention give Lafollette 104,000, Coolidge [illegible].

Milwaukee April 3—(AP)—Little change resulted in the count of Wisconsin presidential delegate vote last night. Only a few scattering returns from less than a hundred precincts reported since 6 o'clock last night. Lafollette and Smith delegate candidates at large to the major political national conventions maintained their leads and W. G. McAdoo was preferred over Senator Reed of Missouri as a choice for president.

Lafollette delegates had 148,701. Coolidge delegates 96,240. In 840 out of 3,074 precincts in the state the race for delegates was.

McAdoo delegates [illegible] Smith delegates 6,[illegible].

DENY DE LA HUERTA LANDS IN NEW YORK

New York April 3—Vigorous denial of a report from El Paso that Adolfo de la Huerta Mexican revolutionary leader had landed in New York and was now proceeding to Nogales, Ariz., was made Wednesday night by his supporters here.

KANSAS MERGER UNITES $13,000,000

Chicago April 3—A merger of several Kansas public utility properties under control of the Kansas Public Service company with assets of more than $13,000,000 was announced today by the Illinois Power and Light corporation.

KNOXVILLE RADIO DEALER KILLED

Galesburg Ill. April 3—Dean W. Philbrad 19 of Knoxville near here was instantly killed late yesterday when a radio aerial he was stringing over some high tension electric wires came in contact with a 2,300 volt circuit wire on which the insulation had worn off. Philbrad was the proprietor of a radio shop in Knoxville.

FAVOR CHANGE IN VET BUREAU LAWS

Washington April 3—The senate finance committee ordered favorably reported the Reed measure for revising the veterans bureau laws and the war risk insurance and vocational rehabilitation acts.

TIDAL WAVE HITS ARGENTINE COAST

Buenos Aires April 3—A heavy storm accompanied by a tidal wave swept over the coast of Mar Del Plata last night. There was no loss of life.

DENY REHEARING IN SAM CASTREE CASE

Springfield Ill. April 3—The supreme court today denied a rehearing in the case of People vs. Sam Castree which involved the question of whether liquor illegally seized could be used as evidence. At its last session the court reversed the decision of the Winnebago county circuit court which admitted the liquor as evidence.

AUTHORIZE AMERICAN BIBLE TRANSLATION

Chicago April 3—An American translation of the Old Testament under the leadership of Dr. J. M. Powis Smith professor of Old Testament language and literature in the University of Chicago, has been authorized by the University trustees it was announced today.

Dr. James Edgar Goodspeed's American translation of the New Testament was brought out last year.

FOUR GEORGIA G. O. P. VOTES FOR COOLIDGE

Atlanta, April 3—Four delegates at large to the Republican national convention instructed for Coolidge were chosen Wednesday by the regular faction of the Republican party in Georgia.

The Weather

Chicago April 3—

Following are the weather indications for Illinois:

Increasing cloudiness with showers Friday and in portions tonight; warmer tonight.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. T. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 a. m., Wednesday	65
Highest Wednesday	84
7 a. m. Thursday	42
Noon Thursday	45
Lowest Thursday	37
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:42
Sun sets	6:36

WEATHER MAP

Chicago April 3—Canadian Northwest, 24 to 34 cloudy. Swift Current 01. Edmonton 01. Regina trace. Northwest 30 to 44 part cloudy, light traces. West 34 to 48 generally cloudy. Southwest 42 to 50 cloudy, light rains. Ohio Valley 34 to 44 part cloudy.

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ASSUMPTION GRADE PUPILS TO PERFORM

To Put On "Pandora" Friday Evening.

Assumption April 3—The Grade school will present the operetta "Pandora" Friday evening April 4 at Mitchell Hall

Practically every child in the school has some part on the program

The cast of characters is
Pandora—Dorothy Jane Cross
Hope—Ruth Kuhle
Pimeltheus—Paul High
Quicksilver—Wayne Gray
Love—Robert Pitzer
Troubles—Boys and girls of grades 2 and 3
Playmates of Pandora and chorus of boys and girls

THE PROGRAM

Sousa's Band—Grade One
Boys Chorus—Grades 2 and 3
ACT I
Opening Chorus—The Pandora Children
I'm So Lonely—Lipimetheus
Song of the Boy—Quicksilver
I've Come to Play With You—Pandora
Duet—The Boy's Beauty in the Springtime—Pandora, Lipimetheus
Chorus—What Tempters Music—Grades 2 and 3
ACT II
The Secret Haunts Me—Pandora
Sextet
Chorus—Trouble
Dance
Intermezzo
Chorus—We're Glad to Be the Boys
Dutch Clogs and Dance—Grades 2 and 3
ACT III
Pandora
My Heart's Sad—Pandora
Chorus—Wonderous Gifts—Hope
Chorus—Top of the World—Pandora, Hope, Lipimetheus
Love is Like a Little Bird—Quicksilver
Chorus—Hail to the Spring

NEWS NOTES

Mrs. A. M. Lorraine spent Wednesday in Decatur

Mabel Morton of Decatur visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morton

Miss Sara Stephenson has returned home after a visit in Chicago

TO LEAVE RANGOON

Mrs. Ira Gossing received a letter from her daughter Mrs. Paul Howard of Rangoon, Burma, India, saying that Mr. Howard will also return to the U. S. this year instead of a year later as was first planned. Mr. Howard will leave Rangoon a few days earlier than Mrs. Howard and will land at Venice, Italy, and go by rail to London where he will meet Mrs. Howard and son Paul in London. Together they will tour Europe spring from Glasgow, Scotland, by way of Canadian Pacific to Montreal, Canada, and come down the Hudson to New York. They expect to reach Assumption in the last of June.

Earl M. and Mrs. Ethel Lynn Gangwer announce the birth of a daughter April 1.

James Storey of Iowa is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Ada Mackelson of San Antonio, Texas, is visiting her sisters Misses Nancy and Sarah Allen.

Rev. Charles Clark and family have moved to Springfield. Mr. and Mrs. William Gillespie.

Mrs. Lora Gossing entertained the Bridge Club Monday evening. All of the ladies present were presented with souvenirs. Prizes in bridge were won by Mrs. O. P. Gossing and Mrs. C. C. Gossing. Miss Sara Stephenson, Lucile Stapley and Mildred Dunstan.

The Christian Society of Mt. Gilead will be pleased in Sunday in honor of their pastor, Rev. Thos. Stephenson. [illegible]

SERVE SUPPER IN LOVINGTON HALL

[illegible] Methodists [illegible] Community Hall. The following menu will be served [illegible] price [illegible]

Creamed [illegible] mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberry sauce, lettuce and tomato salad, pickles, hot biscuits and rolls, and coffee.

The [illegible] will begin at [illegible] o'clock. [illegible] will be shown.

DELEVAN

William [illegible] in a little set of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] show [illegible] is slowly improved [illegible] A trained nurse is caring for him.

Miss Fannie Weedon [illegible] Harrington is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Connell.

Mrs. Will Johnson and children of Decatur are here spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Murphy west of Lovington.

MINSTREL SUCCESS

The minstrel given Tuesday evening by the Men's Fellowship class of the Methodist church under the direction of George Comm was a decided success. The minstrel will be repeated Wednesday evening at the high school auditorium.

OREANA.

Mr. and Mrs. Carothers and daughter Naomi of Decatur visited over Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Belle Phillips.

J. G. Oldweiler and family returned home Thursday from Los Angeles, Cal., where they spent the winter.

Miss Ona Giffin of Decatur spent this week with her sister, Mrs. Lewis Belzer and family.

L. O. Ullom visited relatives near Pana the last week.

Mrs. S. Schmink and daughter Mary Grace and Lucile Garrott visited over Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. E. H. Bangs on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. I. C. Rea was in charge of the program. Refreshments were served by the hostess committee.

Misses Anna and Charlotte Myer of Decatur spent several days of this week with their cousin, Mrs. V. E. Richenbrecher.

Mrs. George Mills, Mrs. C. Green and son Charles of Mt. Gilead visited over Sunday with the former's son, Travis Green and family.

SUPREME COURT TO RULE ON ELECTIONS

Springfield, April 3.—(By Weather) [illegible] in the house of representatives a constitutional school district amendment was expected to be sent to the supreme court during the April session, which convenes April 8. The case in which the court is expected to make its decision is that of the Tazewell county superintendent of schools against a district where the people [illegible] the county superintendent of schools to call an election for the purpose of establishing a high school district.

The Tazewell county court held that the election was valid.

STONINGTON PARENTS ELECT OFFICERS

Stonington, April 3.—The Parent-Teachers Association of the Grade school held its monthly meeting at the grade school Friday evening. The following program was given:

Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting—Secretary.
Piano Duet—March of Flowers—Viola Gray and Geraldine Smith.
Vocal Solo—What the birds sang—Jimmy Shields.
Group of Songs—Third Grade.
Music Story—Loren Latriel.
Group of Songs—Fifth and Sixth Grades.
Reading—The Motion Picture Situation.
Suggestions for Local Parent Teachers Association.

At the business meeting which followed the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. W. S. Taylor; vice president, Irvin Latriel; treasurer, Miss Lucy Hinkle; and secretary, Ross Emerson.

Jesse Shirley of the University of Illinois spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shirley.

Miss Lulu Hanawalt underwent an operation Friday morning at the Decatur and Macon County Hospital. She is reported as doing nicely.

Miss Agnes Chapman of Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill., spent the week end here with her father, Andrew Chapman.

George Wolter of Edinburg, Ill., was a visitor here Monday.

Mrs. J. P. Shout was in Decatur Monday.

Miss Verna Bollinger and Samuel Bayne were married Saturday in the court house, Miss Genevieve [illegible].

Miss Edith Earlington, bookkeeper at the Live Good and Let Good Garage, [illegible]

MINER INJURED

Charles Morocco was seriously injured about 4:25 Monday evening at the Peabody Coal Mine here. He had fired the two shots as usual as all the miners do every evening so that the coal will be ready to dig in the morning. One of the shots missed, he went back into the room to see what the trouble was and just as he did, the shot went off. It is thought that he will lose both of his eyes. He was immediately rushed to the St. Vincent's Hospital in Taylorville and was taken to Springfield Tuesday morning.

Miss Evelyn Ishmael of Decatur is visiting a few days here with Miss Wilma Lawler.

ATWOOD HAS NEW SCHOOL HEAD

Atwood, April 3.—Edward D. Walters of Ipava, Ill., has been employed as superintendent of the high school for the coming term. He has one son, who is ready to enter high school. At present Mrs. Walters is a teacher in the Ipava grade schools.

Large crowds attended the Julius Caesar movie which was presented in the Popular Theater Friday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Latin department of the high school.

The members of the Senior class have begun work on their class play, Honor Bright. The play will be under the direction of Miss S. Winona Hill.

Walt Finger went to Ohio Thursday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Livergood have returned home after spending the winter in Texas and Louisiana.

Miss Bessie Marston has moved her hat store to the first door north of her former location.

Ella Stark of Decatur spent the week end here.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Church of Christ had a food sale at Cardt and Jurgens meat market Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Marston and daughter, Miss Bessie Marston, have moved to the Starey property in the northeast part of town.

Mrs. Lou Bishop, who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved.

E. D. Rhoades, while attempting to take a rusty nail from a board, was struck in the eye by the nail. He went to Decatur Monday to have his eye examined.

Try outs are being held for the Camp Fire operetta, "The Toreadors" which is to be given soon.

The E. D. Rhodes building, south of Personett's grocery store, has been remodeled. Fred Woods will open a repair shop there.

Harold Stevens is working in Indianapolis.

Edward Parsons who is attending U. of I., came home Friday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Sadie Wicks of Chicago which was held at Cartwright Sunday afternoon. Will Parsons of Terre Haute, a brother of the deceased also attended the funeral.

Clifford Weatherholt went to Akron, Ohio, Monday where he has a position. Mrs. Weatherholt who is a teacher in the grade school, will go as soon as school is out.

The Atwood Woman's club has endorsed Alexander Bercher, Republican candidate for representative.

BONES OF QUAKE VICTIMS APPEAR

Tokio, Japan, April 3.—(AP)—During heavy storms which have whipped the eastern coast of Japan recently, scores of bodies and many bones believed to be those of victims of the September earthquake have been washed ashore at Kotsu, a summer resort and fishing village near Yokohama, according to Japanese correspondents.

Many of these bodies are believed to be those of Koreans or supposed Koreans who were killed by the fisher folk of this and neighboring villages during the panic succeeding the earthquake.

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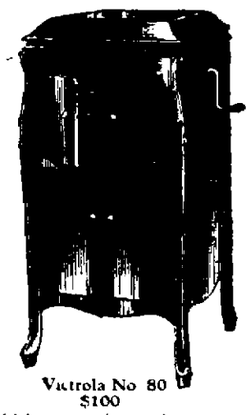

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SALARY IS INCREASED

Dr. E. W. Clippinger to Get $500 More.

The reports heard in the annual congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening show each organization in the church in a fine condition. Receipts in some of the departments were appreciably larger than was expected. A budget of $22,500 was accepted for the coming year, one item of which is the increase in salary of $500 for the pastor, Dr. E. W. Clippinger.

A number of new organizations have been formed during the last year. One is the Men's club, which is the first such organization in the church and which has had a fine growth in membership and interest. Another is the church nursery, where parents may leave their small children while attending the morning church service on Sundays. The Camp Fire girls and a new patrol of Boy Scouts have added interest on the part of the boys and girls, and the Little Light Bearers have been organized for the small children. The Westminster Guild for young women also is a new organization.

500 NEW SONG BOOKS.

It was reported that three hundred new song books have been purchased for the evening service and about seventy-five Bibles for the Sunday school.

Another thing which was done for the first time in this church was the election of Mrs. H. D. Spencer as a trustee. No other woman has ever held such an office in the First Presbyterian church. The officers elected are as follows:

Elder—J. H. Ransom.

Trustees—C. E. Ward, L. P. Halladay, Mrs. H. D. Spencer.

Deacons—Harry Leach, C. C. Randolph, Herbert Warner and J. N. Orr.

Church treasurer—W. J. Hostetler.

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EXPECT SEVERAL TO GO TO P.-T. MEET

Program Outline Shows Good Talks.

Many Decatur people, it is anticipated, will attend the state meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association which is to be held in Springfield April 15-17, a brief outline of the program for which has just reached Decatur, through Mrs. C. E. Tullis.

This association met in Decatur last year and convenes in Springfield this year for its twenty-fifth annual meeting. The sessions will be held in the beautiful new Centennial building which commemorates the one hundredth anniversary of the admittance of Illinois to the Union. The exhibits which last year attracted large crowds in Decatur will be held in Springfield in the Memorial hall. Auto drives to the spots of historic interest in the life of Lincoln will be a part of the entertainment provided for the visitors.

BLAIR TO SPEAK.

Hon. Francis Blair, state superintendent of schools, will give the address of welcome. Other speakers will be Dr. George Scherger of the Armour Institute of Technology, Chicago; Eugene T. Lies of the Playground and Recreational Association of America; E. G. Fisher of the Illinois Council Parent-Teachers' association.

Many of the Decatur people have inquired in regard to the banquet night. This will be Wednesday and will be held in the St. Nicholas hotel, with Dr. M. B. Owen of the Chicago Normal college as the speaker.

Mrs. T. M. Kilbride of Springfield is the chairman of general arrangements and Mrs. W. C. Starck of the program committee. Each school is entitled to three delegates, but it is thought that many more than this number will go over from Decatur to be present in the meetings for one, two or three days.

CANTRELL PAVING HEARING APRIL 17

To Be Asphalt on Concrete Base.

At the meeting of the board of local improvements held Wednesday afternoon the date of the hearing on the paving of East Cantrell street from Maffit to Third street, was set for April 17.

The pavement is specified to be asphalt on a concrete foundation and in the block from Maffit to Silas street where the street car track is located, curbs will be placed on each side of the right of way and the space left unpaved pending a decision on the street car franchise.

Plans for alternate specifications for either asphalt or concrete for Cantrell street were dropped pending a decision as to whether or not this would lead to delay through legal complications.

EAST NORTH PAVING.

The first resolution providing for the paving of East North street from Seventh to Tenth street was also passed.

This pavement is to be concrete.

The petition for the paving of Short street from Eldorado to North street was also presented and referred to the city engineer for estimates.

PETITION FOR SEWER.

The petition for the sewer which is to serve the Westlawn locality in the extreme west end of the city was presented and referred to Morgan O'Brien, city engineer.

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BRASS INSTRUMENTS IMPORTANT GROUP

Most Sonorous in Entire Orchestra.

A third article on music instruments is herewith issued by the Conservatory of Music under whose auspices the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra will appear in Decatur April 5. The series is planned to interest and enlighten those who attend the two concerts next Saturday, regarding the instruments used by orchestra members. This refers to the group of brass instruments.

MOST SONOROUS.

The brass instruments of which the most important are the horns, trumpets, trombones and tuba constitute the most sonorous group of the entire orchestra.

This group is placed at the rear of the orchestra. The horns which are of polished brass, the tube made into a circle with a very flaring mouth, are not hard to identify. The trumpets which look like large cornets are near them. On the outer edge of the orchestra at the right are the trombones recognizable by their slides which the players draw in and out to shorten and length the tube. The enormous brass instrument which looks as though it would drag down the player by its sheer weight and which is quite exhausting to play is the tuba, the bass of the trombones. This instrument is usually at the right of the orchestra, and in the rear.

REQUIRE DELICACY.

The brass instruments differ technically from the wood-winds in one vital respect in that many of the tones are produced by a difference in wind pressure, and do not depend so much on changes in the length of the tube. They require therefore in the player great delicacy and certainty in the management of the lips and breath. The French horn is capable of producing the most beautiful tones of any of the brass group. However, it is very difficult to play. So difficult is it to produce the entire range of tones on the horn that the four players are divided into pairs, one pair becoming habituated to the higher tones and the other to the lower. The tube of the horn is 16 feet long and is curled over upon itself to save room, provided with a mouth piece at one end and a flaring bell at the other.

TRUMPET.

The trumpet has a tube only half as long and is therefore an octave higher in pitch. The quality of tone in the trumpet is noble and brilliant; it comports with warlike ideas, with cries of fury and of vengeance and with songs of triumph. It lends itself to the expression of an energetic, lofty and grand sentiment and to the majority of tragic accents. Its tone is stirring and it is particularly effective in melodies which are of a triumphant or jubilant character.

The trombone has a slide to lengthen the tube. There are valve trombones but their tone is much inferior to that of the slide trombone so that they are not used in symphony orchestras.

BASS TUBA.

The bass tuba is an instrument of the sax-horn family, the other members of which are used only in a military band. Its tone merges well with that of the trombone. It is a valve instrument of enormous proportions and very low pitched. The three trombones and tuba constitute a choir mighty in tone power.

AUTO FEES FROM COUNTY $125,455

Total Paid in State Last Year $9,630,367.

Of the $9,630,367 paid in automobile fees to the state last year Macon county paid $125,455, according to report just issued. Cook county paid one third of the total amount. Some of the Central Illinois counties paid as follows:

Macon	$125,455
McLean	160,871
Dewitt	40,442
Piatt	41,200
Douglas	45,338
Moultrie	26,980
Shelby	49,311
Christian	69,520
Effingham	28,730
Fayette	26,792
Logan	64,210
Coles	66,690
Montgomery	71,008

FIND TWO STILLS AND HOME BREW

Police Make Raid On Home of Julius Reinhold.

Julius Reinhold, 1419 East Condit street, was arrested late Wednesday night on city and state warrants charging him with manufacturing and possessing liquor. Armed with search warrants, the officers visited the Reinhold home about ten o'clock and took possession of two copper stills, each having a capacity of about eight gallons. They also found two gallons of mulo, forty-two quarts of home brew, three pickle barrels and two stone jars containing in all about sixty gallons of mash; a lot of empty containers and eleven cans of malt.

Reinhold pleaded guilty to the two city warrants and Justice Lloyd fined him $103.15 on each warrant. On the state warrants Reinhold gave bond in the sum of $1,600.

OTHER ARRESTS.

William A. Robinson, 1338 East Whitmer street, was arrested Wednesday night on a charge of possessing liquor. The officers found a small quantity of liquor at his home. He pleaded not guilty and his bonds were fixed at $1,300.

Virgil Anderson, 1037 North Railroad avenue; Elond E. Meeker, 835 South Church, and Hugh Edwards, rural route three, were arrested for being drunk and possessing liquor.

Arthur B. Wilcox, arrested for speeding, was fined $13.40 by Justice R. E. Dickinson.

W. C. T. U. HEARS ABOUT CANDIDATES

Talks For Three For Governor Presented.

A portion of the W. C. T. U. meeting, held Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jennie Wikowsky, 1221 South Illinois street was turned over to speakers for three candidates for governor. Each told of his favorite candidates qualifications for the office and the meeting was an especially interesting one with good talks.

S. A. Edwards spoke of the candidacy of C. M. Borchers and his qualifications to fill the high place in the state. Mrs. C. P. Kennedy spoke for Governor Len Small, and was followed by Mrs. W. B. Burke on the subject, Mrs. G. D. Steele spoke for the candidacy of Thurlow Essington.

Fully thirty members of the organization were present to hear these talks. Miss Lelah Foster, spoke briefly and to the point in regard to her candidacy for recorder of deeds.

MOOSE MINSTRELS MAKE BIG HIT

Two Shows to Be Given Again Tonight.

The Moose Minstrels played to a full house in the high school auditorium Wednesday night for two performances and judging from the applause received by the musical numbers and the mirth evoked by the minstrel jokes, the show was a success.

With Herb Heil as interlucutor and Bud Rucker, Ned Leighton, Henry Schwarze and Fred Bachman on the ends, the minstrels kept up a running fire of jokes interspersed with song and dance numbers.

SONG HITS.

Earnest Kafratka singing "The Kind of a Girl That Man Forget," and Ned Leighton with "Fare Thee Honey, Fare Thee Well," received appreciative applause. Gerald Maguire with a bass solo, "The Big Bass Vio'," was particularly good and Henry Schwarze singing all twenty-six of the verses of "It Aint Goin' to Rain No More," got a good hand. Grover Roderick singing "That Old Gang of Mine," with Bud Rucker taking the recitation part make a particularly good number.

NOVELTY DANCES.

An oriental dance by Nadine Ruck Walthers and a novelty dance by Miss Walthers, Bud Rucker and Henry Schwarze was well received. Iris Ricketts sang a vocal solo.

Alice, a trained horse operated by Henry Schwarze who acted as jockey under the direction of Herb Heil, ringmaster, opened the show with comical antics. Weidman's Harmony Kings, a jazz orchestra, furnished the closing numbers on the bill.

The show will be repeated for two performances Thursday night at 7 and 8:45 o'clock.

RADIO PROGRAMS

(Decatur Time)

CHICAGO STATIONS.

6:30—KYW (536). News, financial and final markets, furnished by the Union Trust Company, Chicago Journal of Commerce and the United States Department of Agriculture; bedtime story.

7—WMAQ (448). Boy Scouts' weekly talk; talk by R. R. Stephens, auto editor of the Daily News; business talk.

7 to 7:30—KYW (530). Dinner concert, Congress Hotel.

7 to 8—WGN (370). Piano and concert selections, Oriole orchestra.

7 to 8—WDAP (366). The Drake concert ensemble and the Blackstone string quintet.

7:35 to 7:45—KYW (536). Sport talk by Lee Fisher of the Chicago Evening American.

7:45 to 7:55—Talk on "Finance and Markets," by T. T. Hoyne.

8 to 9:05—"Twenty minutes of good reading;" musical program, James Dorhan, tenor.

8—Recreational talk.

9 to 11—WGN (370). James Terrace Conway, tenor; Louise Sieve, reading; Stella Bunch Nicholas, violinist. Popular dance music by the Oriole orchestra.

9:05—KYW (536). A talk on voting by Mrs. James Morrison.

9:15—WMAQ (448). Program by Eliza Stokes, soprano and Charles Lee Cook.

9:20—KYW (536). Talk given by a representative of the Black Diamond Coal company.

10—WDAP (360). Musical program; Alexander Makutin, Helen Louise Shaffer, Jack Chapman's Dance orchestra.

OUTSIDE STATIONS.

Silent night for: WOR, Newark; WOO, Philadelphia; WCAP, Washington; WGR, Buffalo.

6:15 to 7—WLAG (417). Minneapolis. Dinner hour concert.

6:30—WGI (360). Medford Hillside, Mass. Vespers quartet.

6:30 to 9:45—WEAF (492). New York. Talks, recitals; Hunter college concert; Columbia recording artists; orchestra.

6:45—WGY (380). Schenectady. Vocal and instrumental.

7—WNAC (278). Boston. Pullman Porters' chorus, band and orchestra.

7—WJAX (390). Cleveland. Talk and musical program.

7—WDAR (195). Philadelphia. Fairy fantasy for children.

7:30—WCAE (462). Pittsburgh. Nevin concert trio.

7:30—WJZ (455). New York. Wanamaker organ recital, radio festival.

7:30—KDKA (326). Pittsburgh. Little Symphony orchestra.

7:30 to 9—WHAS (400). Louisville. Senior class, Conservatory of Music.

7:30 to 8:30—WBAP (476). Fort Worth. Vocal and instrumental.

8 to 10:15—WCBD (345). Zion, Ill. Vocal and instrumental.

8 to 9—WSB (429). Atlanta. Organ recital; Scotch solos.

8—KSD (546). St. Louis. Duo-piano recital.

8:15—WSAI (309). Cincinnati. Conservatory of Music orchestra.

8:30 to 11—WHN (360). New York. Recitals; orchestra.

8:30—WRC (469). Washington. Leo House trio.

8:30—WMC (500). Memphis. Chinca Philharmonic orchestra.

8:30 to 12—WTAS (286). Elgin, Ill. Popular musical program.

8:30 to 9:30—WFAA (476). Dallas. The Texas orchestra.

8:30—KFKX (361). Hastings. Concert.

9—WRC (469). Washington. Hawaiian concert.

9 to 10—WOC (484). Davenport. Orchestral program; soloists.

9—WCAL (360). St. Olaf college, Northfield, Minn. Vocal and instrumental.

9—WWJ (517). Detroit. Dance.

9—WOAW (526). Omaha. WOAW'S first anniversary.

9 to 10—KFAE (360). Denver. Concert.

9 to 10—KFI (469). Los Angeles. Concert program.

9:10—WFI (395). Philadelphia. Majestic hotel orchestra.

9:15—WJAN (280). Peoria, Ill. Vocal concert.

9:30—CKAC (425). Montreal. Dance orchestra and features.

9:30—WJZ (455). New York. Hotel Majestic orchestra.

9:30 to 10:45—WBAP (476). Fort Worth. Fifty piece police band.

10—WJAX (390). Cleveland. Organ recital, Vincent H. Percy.

10—WLW (309). Cincinnati. Conservatory of Music; Doherty's Melody Boys.

10 to 12—KHJ (395). Los Angeles. Mandolin orchestra; soloists.

10—KGO (312). Oakland. Concert.

10:15—KGW (492). Portland. Concert.

10:45 to 11:45, WSB (420), Atlanta, Christian Endeavor entertainment.

11 to 12—KPO (422), San Francisco. Cap and Bell club.

11—KOA (455). Seattle. Dance program, address.

11:45 to 1 a. m.—WDAF (411). Kansas City. Nighthawk frolic.

12. KGW (492). Portland. Dance.

12 to 1 a. m.—KPO (422). San Francisco. Orchestral program.

TALKS.

7:15—WCX (517). Detroit. Lenten lecture, Arcadia auditorium.

7:30 to 8:15—WLAG (417). Minneapolis. "Facing the Facts of Agriculture;" Friendly Valley; "New Spring Books."

8:15—WJZ (455). New York. "Music in Public Schools."

BAILER LOST IN LINCOLN NO. 3

Must Send to Casey for Fishing Tools.

Drilling operations were stopped in Lincoln oil well No. 3 Wednesday when, with one day's drilling intervening between the "pay dirt," the cable broke and the bailer was lost in the hole. It now rests approximately a quarter of a mile below ground and will remain there until "fishing" tools are brought from the Casey field.

With good luck the drillers hope to recover the lost tools by Friday and drill the remaining distance, bringing in the well about Saturday.

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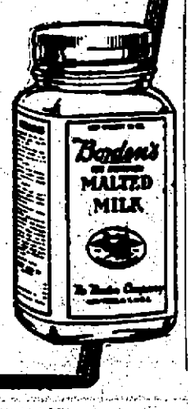

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Tuscola, April 3—Considering the very bad condition of the country roads, there was a very good crowd of shoppers in Tuscola Wednesday to attend the regular monthly bargain day sale of the local merchants. The number of people from surrounding towns and country was nothing like as large, however, as it has been on similar days when the roads have been good. The necessity for people in the greater number of cases to drive in horse drawn vehicles, decreased the size of the territory from which people could reach Tuscola and return in the day. The large number of horses hitched around in all of the available places looked like the days before the Automobiles. Most of the merchants report a very satisfactory day's business. The next bargain day will be on the first Wednesday in May.

TAYLOR BURIAL HERE.

The body of Mrs. Mary Catherine Taylor, whose death occurred at her home in Urbana, was brought to Tuscola for burial Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Taylor was the widow of the late William Taylor, who died several years ago. The family formerly lived on a farm just east of Hayes, and a short distance north of Tuscola, and the farm is still owned by the family.

The Illinois Central train due here from the North at about one o'clock was met by the Waddington motor hearse, and the funeral party went directly from the train to the cemetery. There was just a very brief service at the grave, by Rev. Mr. Fisher, a minister of Urbana, who accompanied the remains to Tuscola.

The death of Mrs. Taylor occurred Sunday night and the funeral service had been held in Urbana before coming here. The deceased was sixty-seven years old at the time of her death.

DECATUR MAN IN HOSPITAL.

Dr. Glenn R. Ingram returned from Decatur Wednesday morning, bringing with him to the local hospital, Curt Cooper of Decatur and a former Tuscola resident. Mr. Cooper is suffering with rheumatism and came to Tuscola in order that he might be under the care of Dr. Ingram, who is a brother of Mrs. Cooper. The C. I. & W. train was met by the Waddington ambulance which took the patient to the hospital.

Coroner E. C. Gillogly of Newman was in Tuscola Wednesday afternoon.

James G. Hill of Mattoon was a visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hill, of Tuscola Wednesday.

Carlos Wheatley of Hindsboro was in Tuscola Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid of the Tuscola Lutheran church has advertised a food market to be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Saturday, April 5.

Among the latest to have a radio outfit installed in the home in Tuscola is George W. Grimes, veteran operator at the C. I. & W. station, who had an up-to-date set put in his home Wednesday by the Tuscola Radio Co.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD AT IVESDALE

Ivesdale, April 3—Frederick Ricketts celebrated his twelfth birthday anniversary Saturday, Mar. 29, at his home by entertaining twelve of his little friends from 2 to 4 o'clock. The afternoon was passed in playing baseball, and refreshments were served.

Miss Loretta Gallivan and brother Phil returned Monday from Bloomington, where they visited Miss Celestine Gallivan.

Mrs. P. J. McQuire of Decatur came Monday to visit relatives.

Fred Walker went to Philo Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker.

Pete Peterson of Bement was a caller here Sunday.

Tom Clark of Champaign passed Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clark.

Miss Mary Kile returned Saturday to Fairbolt, Minn., after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Kile.

Mrs. M. Hefferman passed the week-end with her daughter, Mabel, in Decatur.

Mrs. A. Sherlock returned Monday from a few days' visit with relatives in Monticello and Champaign.

Will Kirwan of LaSalle is visiting at the home of his uncle John Kirwan.

Will Gallivan passed the week-end with friends in Decatur.

Miss Roby Gregory passed the week-end with her parents in Bement.

Misses Cleopha Borders and Bernice Gribbins of Sadorus visited relatives here Sunday.

Russell Schwehm was a Bement visitor Sunday.

Mrs. F. Brya and little daughter returned Monday from Decatur after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McQuire.

Will Crinigan passed Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

Kearney Cain went to Decatur Saturday evening.

Mrs. Tobe Burke returned Tuesday from several days' visit with her husband in Decatur.

Jim Cahill of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday.

NEWS NOTES OF ST. ELMO FOLK

St. Elmo, April 3—Leslie Ross and family returned home Saturday to Macanda, after a week's visit here with relatives.

Miss Juanita Hildenbrand of Brownstown is staying here with Earl Stice and family.

George Mattix has bought the property on the north side of town owned by LeRoy Parks of Effingham and will move to it soon.

Miss Edith Kepner of Brownstown returned to her home Monday after a week's visit here with her brother, Earl.

Mrs. W. F. Smith and Lucille Brown motored to Effingham Monday afternoon.

The Rebekah lodge of this city was called to Effingham Friday night to take charge of their meeting.

Misses Marie Markwell, of Decatur, and Gertie Bartlow of Altamont were in St. Elmo Sunday.

Mrs. Faye Kepner of Salem, was here Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Ina Kelley is very ill, and is unable to fill her position as bookkeeper at the First National bank.

R. M. Strain, principal of the St Elmo high school, was not able to attend school Monday on account of illness.

The Christian and Methodist churches held union services Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. DeFrees preached the sermon. At league a few special numbers were given besides the lesson. The following were special numbers:

Piano solo, "Narcissus" — Ruby Price.

Instrumental duet, (mandolin and guitar) "In Dreamland" — Harriet and Eleanor Fletcher.

Vocal duet, "It Pays to Serve Jesus" —Jesse Eycstone and Harriet Fletcher.

Mrs. P. M. Johnston is ill with the flu.

Ross Owens and wife of Farina were here Sunday visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Brown.

Mrs. Bascom went to Mt. Vernor Saturday for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones, and daughter, Jeanette, returned home Sunday after a brief visit in Salem.

The Junior girls gave a party in the home of Freida Allen, in honor of the basketball team, which won the tournament here.

LATHAM CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY

Latham, April 3—The Junior class of the Latham Community high school will present the "The Deacon Entangled," a comedy in three acts by Harry Osborne, Friday evening, April 18 at the high school auditorium. The class under the direction of Miss Robinson, a member of the faculty, began practice three weeks ago.

The play is about two hours in length, and every minute will hold the intense interest of the audience. It is not a new play but one which has been tested and has proved most popular. It has not been given in Latham before. Those taking part in the play like it and are wagking hard to make it the best ever. Another factor which will add to the presentation of class plays in the future is the fine high school auditorium and stage. This will be the first high school play to be given in the new building.

The following is the cast of characters:

Deacon Penrose, a member in good standing—Cecil Matlock.

Calvin Spangler (called Cal), his nephew—Delmas Stennett.

Rev. Dr. Sopher, a strong supporter of foreign missions—Arthur Galloway.

Harry Baxter, sporting writer — Paul Joyat.

Mr. Rafferty, a policeman— Louis Mooney.

Mrs. Penrose—Mary Rager.

Ruth, her daughter—Opal Allison.

Georgie Sopher, Dr. Sopher's daughter—Gale Emrick.

Katy the Maid at the Penrose Home—Foresteen Kerschner.

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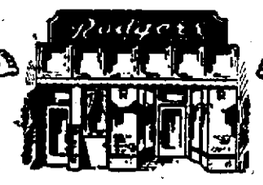

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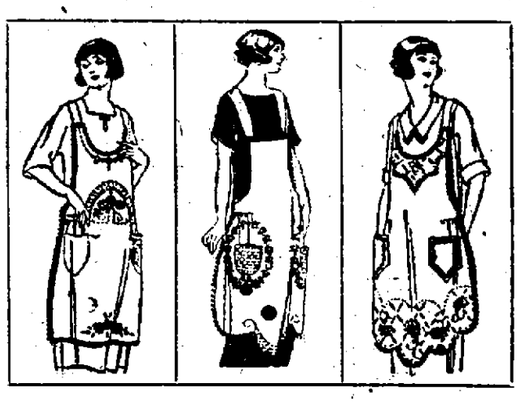

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—Grey suede fashions a very lovely two-strap slipper with calf trimming in a matching color. With covered Cuban heel. This style is just now very popular. $8.50 a pair.

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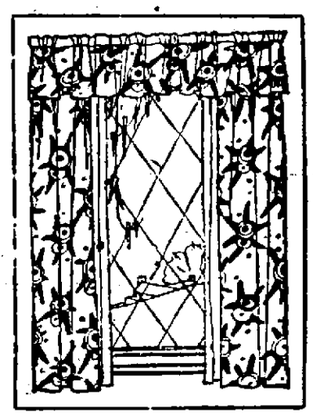

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EAST OF THE SETTING SUN

By George Barr McCutcheon

Marriage one day, divorce the next, was possible when the Communists held Hungary. Mr. McCutcheon's American hero marries a princess of Graustark in order to help her to secure a passport, and promptly divorces her—but the divorce is held to be illegal.

SILENCE

By Ben Ames Williams

A party of New York men and women, wealthy and of high social standing, are cribbed, cabined and confined in a Maine hunting lodge by an unexpected snow storm. One of the party is killed during the height of the storm. The guides are in a cabin at some little distance. No one has entered or left the house during the storm. Some member of the party must be the guilty one.

THE BLACK CARGO *By J. P. Marquand*

A story of the old clipper days when slaves were the forbidden cargo and rum running was eminently respectable.

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Is a dog that plays a leading part when the new pseudo-Intellectual and the Old Adam meet in a simple American community.

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MORE THAN ENOUGH OF OUR OWN.

Several young men in town put on a demonstration to show us the town meeting can be made a serious affair.

They attended the meeting held here Tuesday last and proposed the levy of an additional $189,000 to build roads and bridges in the township. They were most of the meeting and they had the proceedings up in the air for a bad quarter of an hour.

It is claimed the power of the town meeting to put on a levy of this kind was found in an old statute, of the existence of which others had forgotten. The young men had been reading statute law, and it occurred to them here were a good few lines which which to put on an April fool scare.

But it doesn't surprise anyone to learn there is something like that somewhere in the old statutes; neither would it surprise us greatly to learn that such an enactment is rather new. It might come up as a suggestion for further legislation along the same line in the next meeting of the legislature.

But there is a feeling we are justified in asking that there be no search of old statutes to find something with which to harass us and take away more of the taxpayers' money. There is enough of this thing in recent legislation to drive that taxpayer to distraction; and they are not a bit backward about applying it to him.

We don't need to go back far to find other torments; there are more than enough of our own.

REGARD OUR MANY MERITS.

A good many people have an impression there was much feeling among voters of this township, as shown in the results of last Tuesday's election. This is because several Democrats won, it being assumed that of course these are not to have a look-in unless there is grave and general disturbance.

It isn't as complimentary to us Democrats as we could ask. We have a notion that our many merits should be appreciated in cool moments as well as in times of excitement.

And we don't believe the excitement they talk about was very great. A third of the voters of this township went to the polls; two thirds remained away. Many of the third who did attend were Republicans who always go from a sense of duty and because they like to do so. Also there were several Democrats whose attendance is to be explained in the same way. Possibly not more than a third of the third who did attend can be charged with excitement.

And then there are the two thirds who remained away, even though every preparation had been made for their reception and entertainment. We can't see that excitement is to be charged against these.

Taking it altogether, most of us recall more exciting times and occasions. And so we are pleased to write it in the record that our worthy Democratic candidates won entirely on their own merits.

MADE HIMSELF READY.

There is much that is informative as well as entertaining in the life story of E. L. Doheny, now running as a serial in this paper. And this is the best time to tell the story, while Doheny's name is at the front.

As a boy and a young fellow he didn't seem to have any worldly goods to spare, but this didn't cause him to lie down. He was a little fellow of tough fibre along about 1873 and was out in the world on his own. He had to put in a good part of his time seeking a job; and he worked at about everything there was going. It didn't discourage him that he had to work for a dollar a day and less.

He managed somehow to keep the feeling that he had to keep on working, no matter what the job and how little the pay. The thing was to keep plugging along, to hold his head above water, to refuse utterly to fall back into the ranks of the tramp.

It was a good performance for young Doheny, the best there was according to his lights and capacities. And he was plugging along in much the same fashion until forty years old, at which time coy fortune turned and smiled on him.

Doheny was there and prepared when the smiles were handed out. It was the plugging of thirty years that made him ready when opportunity came his way.

IN THE SHADE OF THE MUDHOLE.

There is report of a bad mudhole on the Ocean to Ocean trail a few miles west of Tuscola. A man coming this way with a team found as many as five cars stuck there at one time. It is probable that after helping these cars out he didn't tarry for further returns.

The story tells that at this place are several trees. These keep the mudhole shaded, so there is no chance for the sun to get in its good work at that spot. The place has been a mudhole since the rains started last August, and because the trees shut out the sun.

It might be well to keep this in mind. It is possible that we still have with us people who wish to see trees planted along the roadsides everywhere we go. Some of them don't make much use of roads, but they are strong for trees.

If we had these trees all the way from Decatur to Tuscola there might be a mudhole every foot of the way, dating from last August. But most of the people who use roads are not so fond of trees that they yearn to pay such a price.

THEY DON'T ADVERTISE.

President Coolidge feels that in Harlan F. Stone he has found for attorney general a man who should be rated at $100,000 a year, but in this case is willing to serve for $12,000.

This man was found in the law department of Columbia university in New York, though for several months he has been practicing law out in the open. He has had a small taste of the big profits of general practice, though not long enough to become a habit.

And now this man will try his fortune in Washington, provided the senate is willing. He is fully aware of the way they sometimes treat cabinet members in that town, and yet he is willing to take the chance. One may not understand clearly just why a good man does all this, but it is sure that many are willing.

Nearly all of us had not heard of this man Stone until his appointment was announced. More of us should have known about him, for we are assured he is a man of capacity who has all along made big material sacrifice to serve the cause. There not being a great many of these, we should know them.

But possibly even President Coolidge did not know of this man two months ago.

IT MAY BE LOADED.

We find ourselves wondering if Senator Dill, who hails from the state of Washington, is not in his assault on Col. Theodore Roosevelt of the navy department making the style of blunder that was once properly characterized by Napoleon as "worse than a crime."

Some tell us that in this attack Senator Dill has it in mind to serve the Democratic party in the campaign ahead. But it is a serious matter to get after the son of the great Roosevelt this early in the proceedings. There is the chance that some defenders will rush to the rescue with everything they have in the arsenal.

It is one thing to jump a man like Daugherty and run him to earth, but it may prove to be entirely something else to get after a Roosevelt. If we had any regard for the science of tactics, we should survey the situation closely before making this move.

Democrats need not be in a hurry to admit that Senator Dill is working in behalf of their party, for it may turn out quite otherwise. For the time being one prefers to put Senator Dill's action on the ground that many in Washington have gone more than a little mad in the hunt for shining heads.

Somebody shouts that Denby was no more clameworthy than Roosevelt. Maybe so; but Denby isn't Roosevelt.

THEY CARRY WEIGHT.

From many sides we have the statement that this isn't a good year for Republicans; also there are scattering returns that lend some confirmation. While this need not distress us, neither shall we express surprise.

These are times when it is not likely to be a happy year for the party in power. Over the country there is a load of taxation that is tremendous, and every day people are bobbing up who want to add another straw to help break the camel's back. Some of these are permitted to have their way.

The party in power gets blamed for inordinate taxation. It should try to reflect on this before putting on the taxes.

Doheny thought he gave the Democrats $75,000, but it was only $34,900. Maybe he got mixed on some that was paid McAdoo for legal services.

There is a good road to Clinton except at the Decatur end and the Clinton end, and either the sun or a few carloads of cinders will help this.

Gains by Democrats in township elections may be looked on by some as small matter, but they will be recorded and studied at Washington.

Len Small begins to suspect that this man Essington is "selfish" in wanting to be governor—and who else could have thought of that?

LaFollette keeps on carrying Wisconsin, and we don't recall there was much complaint about the quality of immigration that settled there.

Is this man who spoke to the City club about a tax rate of 60 cents on the hundred dollars a humorist or a professional entertainer?

Bless the ladies. Now that they have shown running qualities, Republican brethren will begin to make gestures in their direction.

Republicans excuse last Tuesday by saying they were not organized. It is worse; they were and are disorganized.

Maurice Tangney says this is a Democratic year, just the appointed time to get in out of the wet.

The weather is making another try at spring, and it is well for us that it refuses to give up.

They say that Brooklyn bandit is a girl, but if they ever catch her they may learn better.

Now, Then, Who Has the Most Pull?

Little Benny's Notebook

Mr. Parkins came to see my sister Gladdis last nite and her and him was setting on the sofer tawking about diffrent subjecks and I was standing there watching them on account of not having enything elts to do and Gladdis not chasing me out yet, and Mr. Parkins sed, How are you getting along in art skool, Miss Potts?

Quite well thank you, of corse Im not a grate artist yet by eny meens, hee hee, Gladdis sed. Ill show you some of my recent werk if you think you'd be intristed, she sed, and Mr. Parkins sed, By all meens, Id love to see it, ware is it?

Why, let me see, I bleeve this is it on the piano, Gladdis sed, Meening a big thing full of drawings she brawt down and put there before Mr. Parkins came, and she untied the string and started to show him the picktures, saying, We're doing all impressionistic werk jest now, in other words these sketches are all merly jest impressions of things, you mite say. To the casual observer they proberly look very much allike, but to enybody who knows art of corse they meen mutch more, she sed.

Naturally, Mr. Parkins sed, And he started to look at the picktures, being funny looking drawings without mutch sents, saying, Well, arent these artistick. Now this one, for instants, wat is this an impression of? he sed.

That, O thats an impresion of a gerl eating an apple, Gladdis sed, and Mr. Parkins sed, How intristing, and now this one, wats this an impression of?

That one, why thats an impresion of a pile of books and a flower pot, Gladdis sed, and I sed, G, Gladdis, thats the one you told pop was a impression of a mans back view.

Dont be silly, this one heer is the impression of a man with his back terned, thats the one youre thinking of, Gladdis sed, and I sed, Well G, heck, Gladdis, thats the one you jest told Mr. Parkins was a impression of a gerl eating a apple. Aint it, Mr. Parkins, I sed.

It is? Was it? Mr. Parkins sed. Im slitely confused about them, I like them all very mutch, he sed looking as if he was blushing inside, and Gladdis sed, Now Benny, get rite out of heer and in the future keep out of the conversation wen its over your hed.

Well G wizz I was ony trying to help you, I sed. And I went up in my room and drew a pickture of a sailer wawking alone by himself, one leg being a little longer than the other but enybody could of told it was a sailer without me having to tell them.

LEE PAGE.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR

APRIL 3, 1914.

The Rivers and Lakes commission in Chicago, ordered the city of Decatur to employ an engineer by May 12 to plan the city's sewage disposal.

The chop suey joint on Merchant street was ordered out of business by a state pure food inspector.

It was estimated Decatur would have to get thirty-five new school teachers for the next year to fill vacancies.

Humane Officer Eurit Schroeder was sent into the city's Oklahoma district to clean it up. It drained into the Sangamon river just above the waterworks.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Rev. W. H. Penhallegon returned from Dayton, O., where he went to attend the funeral of Peter Loeb.

M. Maxon, formerly with the Standard Oil company, decided to ask the city council for a permit to erect an oil plant in Decatur.

One groceryman in Decatur sold 2,000 dozen of eggs in the last three days.

In the last act of "Alexander the Great," being played in the opera house, a cat caused much amusement by running across the stage.

An interesting and instructive talk was given by Mrs. Mary D. Chambers of the J. M. U. on "The Hygiene of Clothing and Furniture."

Section Foreman Daniel McNamara of the Illinois Central was walking from Clinton to Centralia, a distance of 111 miles.

KANSAS DEMOS TO SUPPORT GOV. DAVIS

Hutchinson, Kan., April 3.—The Kansas delegation to the Democratic national convention was instructed late Wednesday to vote for Gov. Jonathan N. M. Davis of Kansas as a presidential candidate "as long as the majority of the delegation believes expedient."

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.
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THE BROKEN DREAM.

He sits beside his desk all day
A slave to business and its tasks,
And those who come and go away
See not the dream his frowning masks

They never guess he holds that post
To serve his family and their needs
Gives up the joy he longs for most
To fill his day with irksome deeds.

They watch him counting money out
Or following the lines of trade,
And sometimes think him cold, no doubt,
And mad for profits to be made.

Yet crushed within his breast there lies
A cherished dream men never view,
A hope, had life willed otherwise,
Of finer things he'd some day do.

The roads for all of us divide,
There are two ways for each to go;
One which to others will provide
The comforts he would have them know.

The other lures the poet on,
The painter and the man of dreams;
But who goes there may serve but one
However beautiful it seems.

Like him, by all the choice is made,
Each goes the way he deemeth wise
When duty calls a man to trade,
A poet or a painter dies.

ILLINOIS ASLEEP, SAYS LA FOLLETTE

Freeport, Ill., April 3.—Illinois has been "asleep at the switch" and it is time for the state to awaken and line up with Wisconsin, Minnesota and other states in sending progressive legislators to Washington, Phillip Lafollette, son of Senator Lafollette, said Wednesday night in an address here advocating the candidacy of Newton Jenkins for the Republican nomination for United States senator.

IOWA DEMOCRATS TO NAME DELEGATES

Davenport, Ia., April 3.—Democrats of Iowa Wednesday night were girded for the state convention which bids fair to make Democratic history in this state, and which all party leaders agree will mark the opening of the most militant campaigns ever staged in this state by the party.

No remedy can cure all ailments of the human body, but an immense number of people suffer from aches, pains and disease symptoms when their real trouble is lack of iron in the blood. It is the iron in your blood that enables you to get the nourishment out of your food. Without iron your food merely passes through you without doing you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. There is one universally known tonic that has helped thousands because it contains iron like the iron in fresh vegetables and like the iron in your blood.

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The Story Of Decatur

By E. T. Coleman

CHAPTER 123.

GLORIOUS DAYS.

The Prairies Swarmed With Game and the Rivers Teemed with Fish and Whole State Was Happy Hunting Ground.

Those were glorious days in Illinois when the state was young and parking space was not crowded. The Mississippi valley was the greatest game preserve on the continent and Illinois was the happy hunting ground of America. No one can say when this began or precisely when it ended. It was the great hunting ground for the Indians for the same reason that it became the great granary of the country—its productive soil. The soil makes the flora and the flora produces fauna.

Macon county being the heart of Illinois was naturally the heart of the happy hunting ground. Being the heart it was all that the heart should be. The region of Macon county was during the Indian regime and for years in the settlement of the state a sort of back-water. It was not on any of the great Indian trails that crossed the state and it was remote from the waterways by which the first white settlers came. Therefore it was more of a game preserve and longer a game preserve than most other parts of the state.

ORIGINAL ROAD SURVEYORS.

The vast herds of buffalo that once roamed the prairies left before the coming of the English settlers, leaving nothing behind but their wallows and their well marked highways. The buffalo were wonderful road surveyors and their deeply worn traces are evidence that they were once here in countless numbers. The early roads of the state in many instances followed them, and the state highway engineers today are staking out state roads on almost identically the lines of the buffalo traces.

The elk also left early.

There is no evidenced that there were ever any bear in Illinois. But there was an abundance of deer and the woods and prairies teemed with small game. There were wild turkeys, prairie chickens, quail and at times wild pigeons came in such numbers as to break down the trees. The ponds and lakes which filled depressions in the prairies, for months attracted enormous numbers of wild geese, ducks, brant and other water fowl. There were snipe, woodcock, rail plover, crane and heron.

There were rabbits and squirrels in abundance. There were foxes, wolves, both prairie and timber, beaver, raccoon, opossums, badger, muskrat and mink.

AS LATE AS 1880.

It was not at all difficult for the settlers to supply their table with meat from the wild game about them. Indeed, they had so much of it that it palled upon their taste. Every man and every boy knew how to shoot.

John W. Smith in his history of Macon county tells of wolf hunting and fox hunting. In these hunts men rode to hounds and about Decatur there were several men who kept packs of hounds till as late as the '80's. The late Samuel Weaver was an enthusiastic fox hunter and Robert McKay was another.

A MIGHTY HUNTER.

Anderson S. Malone of Forsyth came to this country in 1831 when an infant. In an interview a few years ago he recalled that he killed his first deer when he was twelve or thirteen years old or about 1844. He felt at the time that it was a wonderful accomplishment but nobody was disposed to get excited about it. He had done his part toward supplying the family with provisions but that was all. But he distinctly recalled the shooting of that first deer in the interview.

He carried the family rifle into the woods in the hope of getting a shot at something. He saw three deer browsing the leaves from some bushes. His rifle was too heavy for him to aim it without support and he rested it against a tree. He fired and one of the deer fell.

The deer of his boyhood were not timid and it was easy to get a shot at them. He killed the first three that he shot at and he thought himself a mighty hunter.

PESTS OF FIELDS.

Long after the country was settled the deer were the pest of the corn fields. They came at night, jumped the fence into the corn field and helped themselves to the young corn. They always came to the field by the same route and jumped the fence at the same place. They made a distinct path. This made it possible for the hunter to watch at night by the side of the path and shoot them. This was regarded as legitimate sport and it served the purpose of frightening the deer away from that field. At least deer never again came by that path.

The deer has since the late '50's been an extinct animal in Illinois.

The drainage of our prairies has sent the water fowl and wading birds elsewhere. Even domestic turkeys seem to be becoming extinct and prairie chickens are so rare that the average man would not know one if he met it. We still hear of wolves in Shelby and Winnebago counties but nobody but the newspaper correspondents takes any account of them. Quail, rabbits and squirrels we still have with us, huddling in diminished numbers behind the shadow of the game laws. Illinois as a happy hunting ground had run its course by the middle seventies.

(To Be Continued)

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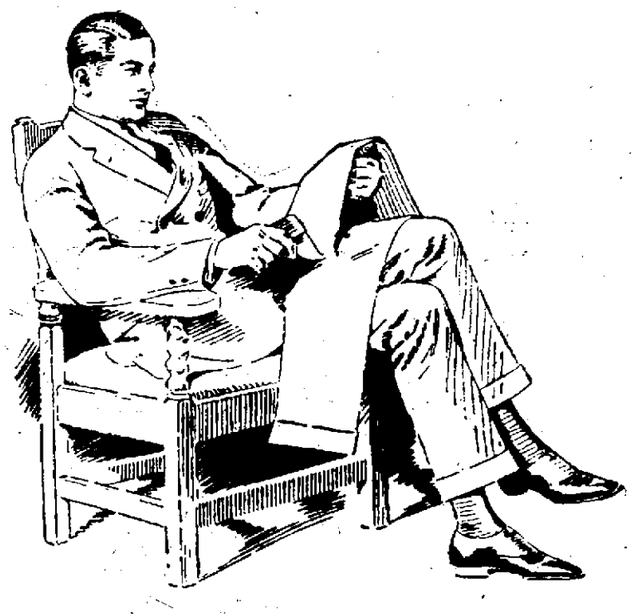

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HOW I MADE MY MILLIONS

BY E. L. DOHENY

Millionaire-To-Be Is Mule Herder On Trip With Frontiersmen

This is the fourth chapter of "How I Made My Millions," by E. L. Doheny, now a millionaire oil man and figure in the Senate oil investigation. In previous chapters he told how he left his home at Fond du Lac to make his fortune in the west.

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BY E. L. DOHENY.

Fort Leavenworth at the time would have been a paradise for any boy. For there were gathered there men who made the west, and later the fiction that has been the joy of every red blooded youngster—General Custer and Buffalo Bill, General Stanley and Texas Jack, Chris Greene, Billy Smith, Little Rover, Red Cloud, Ben Clark and many others. There were gamblers there, and bad men, dead rangers and Indian fighters. And I was running a butcher's counter.

When I heard that an expedition was being organized to go into the Pecos River country in Dakota I could restrain myself no longer. I told Mr. Evan I had to quit. He gave my notice to Levi Wilson, a brother-in-law who had charge of hiring the help for the expedition. I was elated—only to be disappointed again.

For Wilson said I was too young and too small to go on the trip. But he promised to send me on another expedition that soon was to be undertaken.

He kept his word. When the plans for Lieutenant Wheeler's survey of the New Mexico-Arizona boundary were completed my long dream finally came true. I was to go with it—as a mule herder.

Six of us had to drive 110 shave tail mules down to Santa Fe, where the expedition was to start.

The man in charge didn't like me. I was bubbling over too much with the enthusiasm of youth. So he assigned me to night herding—the toughest shift.

There wasn't much time for rest, for I couldn't sleep during the day while the bunch was on the move, and I couldn't sleep at night while I was on duty. We drove down past Fort Bent, Fort Lyons, southwest to Trinidad through Raccoon Pass, where Dick Wootan's night herders held sway. It was a wild country and cattle thieves were rampant. So they armed me with an old-fashioned Spanish Spencer carbine and gave me orders to shoot on sight without warning. One night I almost shot the boss herder when he sneaked up on me to see if I was asleep.

An escort of soldiers went with us part of the way. One of them came to me one evening and told me that there were snakes in his cot. I went to test them out. The next day I was the laughing-stock of the camp. The man had delirium tremens—and I didn't know what they were.

Between this drunk and the wild mules I had to handle, I was driven hard.

Finally we reached Santa Fe and I joined the expedition proper, going with the Wheeler forces as a packer.

(In his next article Doheny will tell of his first taste of prospecting.)

VILLA GROVE COUPLE BACK FROM FLORIDA

Villa Grove, April 2—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Waymire have returned from a two months sojourn in Florida. They were at Miami Beach most of the time. Before coming home their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Davis, who have a winter home there, took them for a weeks trip in their Pierce Arrow to Pomona, Crescent City and other places of interest—En route home they visited Chattanooga and Lookout Mountain. Mrs. Anna Stoops, Mr. Waymire's sister, was with them while they were at Miami.

Clarence Noshish of Chicago is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Noshisl.

A very large crowd attended the Sunday night services at the Methodist Episcopal church.

The sermon was followed by moving pictures of the hymn, "From every stormy wind that blows."

Miss C. B. Henson and her niece, Miss Gladys Henson are visiting in Houston, Texas, for a few days before resuming their southern trip.

Mrs. Charles Davis visited her husband at Lakeview hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Marnes, Mr. Davis' daughter, also is a patient at Lakeview.

Mrs. Cynthia Reynolds of Mattoon is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Evelo Gilbert, on Walnut street.

Mrs. P. G. Bentfro of Decatur and granddaughter, Esther, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ford.

Mrs. D. H. Wheeler returned Sunday from a few days visit with friends in Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wilson have returned to Georgetown after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. George Workman.

Miss Bertha Skidmore and Mrs. Ira Beaman visited Mrs. Dora Moit who is critically ill of complications following the birth of a little son at St. Elizabeth's hospital, Danville, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moit of Mt. Vernon, Indiana are caring for the baby at the Moit home on the H. H. Baker farm.

Fred Edward Hupp, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hupp, is ill showing marked symptoms of whooping cough to which he has been exposed.

Engineer and Mrs. Charles Wilson have rented Mrs. Eunice Richman's residence. They are moving here from Clinton, Ind. They have just returned from a trip to New Orleans and while there attended the Mardi Gras. Mr. Wilson bumped engineer Harper off 42 and 61.

Mrs. E. E. McBroom and little son Carl of Woodstock, who have been visiting the former's daughter, Miss Ethel McBroom of the high school, left for home via Chicago Monday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Delph of Westville and Miss Lois Shuey visited Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Tohill Friday and Saturday. Mr. Delph plans to locate here soon.

Mrs. Orin Watts has resigned as afternoon operator at the telephone office. Miss Della Mettler will succeed her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Craig, Miss Marian and Janet Craig and Norman visited the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Craig in Marshall Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Watson returned from Lakeview hospital in Danville Monday. While there she underwent a severe surgical operation. Mrs. Den Skidmore, Mrs. "Bud" Mumma, Mrs. James Walters, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Harley Jones and Mrs. A. C. Ford cared for her six children while she was at the hospital.

Mrs. W. M. Little visited her son Stanley Little in Chicago Saturday.

Mrs. James Reeder went to Salem Tuesday morning to demonstrate paper flowers and basket weaving to the Womans Club.

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GIVE 500 PARTY AT MT. AUBURN

Mt. Auburn, April 3—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Milligan and Miss Leota Linn entertained the members of the Five Hundred club in the formers home on East Arch street Saturday evening. Mrs. R. F. Holben and Grover Rasor received the two first prizes and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Allen of Blue Mound received the two consolation prizes. Refreshments were served.

JOHN COPENBARGER

Funeral services for John J. Copenbarger who died Friday at the Decatur and Macon County hospital while under the influence of an anesthetic following an operation for cancer of the jaw were held Monday afternoon at the Berea church northwest of Mt. Auburn. Burial was made in the Berea cemetery.

The members of the Friendship class of the Methodist church will be entertained by Mrs. J. L. Muir and Miss Grace White in the latter home on West Church street Thursday afternoon, April 9.

Francis Mulberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Mulberry, who is a student at the University of Illinois has recently been awarded the University letter "I" for his work as a member of the freshman varsity wrestling squad.

MRS. BOONE IGON

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Boone Igon of Springfield, formerly a resident of Mt. Auburn.

ELECTION OFFICERS

At the annual election of officers held recently by the members of the Parent-Teachers association the following officers were elected for the school year 1924-25:

President—Mrs. T. S. Montgomery.
Vice president—Mrs. J. L. Muir.
Secretary—Miss Carrie Fanson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Charles A. Augur.

The members of the Industrial Circle of the Christian church will hold a hen dinner at the church basement Thursday, April 3 at noon.

BLUE MOUND.

Dr. Cook Jack was called here Tuesday to see William Perline who is quite sick.

Mrs. Ed Moss who has been in the Decatur and Macon County hospital the last month returned home Tuesday.

Miss Beulah Patton of Decatur is visiting here this week.

Mrs. James Akin returned from the Decatur and Macon County hospital Friday.

No Young Park, a native of Korea, who is a student at the Northwestern university, spoke at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Clarence Lyons was a visitor in Indianapolis the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Otto Craig and children of Decatur are the guests of D. U. McCluskey and wife this week.

Mrs. Grace Dragoo of Pawnee is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Nona Kester this week.

Gale Woodwell returned to Quincy Sunday following a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Lulu Reis was a Decatur visitor Monday.

Mrs. D. J. Cox and son Kenneth and Mrs. Grace Dragoo visited Leona Cox at the Decatur and Macon County hospital Monday.

RETAINED HEAD OF LOVINGTON SCHOOL

Lovington, April 3—L. C. Francisco has been re-employed by the board of education of the Lovington grade school to have charge of the work as Superintendent. Mr. Francisco has been in charge of the grade school the last three years and has proved himself to be an efficient schoolman.

L. C. FRANCISCO.

INCREASED SALARY

The expression of appreciation for his efficient work was expressed by a substantial increase in salary.

Since Mr. Francisco has assumed charge of the grade school, a number of new features have been added which tend to make the school work in Lovington more effective.

Mr. Francisco is a valuable asset in local community life, in school and other activities and his many friends and patrons of the school will be pleased to learn that he will remain in charge of the school next year.

OTHER TEACHERS

Mr. Francisco will be ably assisted by the following teachers re-employed:

Primary—Vera Collett.
Second—Edith Churchill.
Third—Elva York.
Fourth—Vivian Collett.
Fifth—Mary Freed.
Sixth—Mansel Freed.
Seventh—Myrtle Boggs.
Eighth—L. C. Francisco.

MOLINE PRINTER ADMITS OLD HOAX

Moline, April 3—The discovery by several people in Illinois of copies of the Clinton County Gazette printed in 1860 has been explained here by E. E. Wilson who says that he helped in printing the copies now extant while working for a man named Abe Kirchin in Malvern, Kansas about thirty years ago. Kirchin, according to Mr. Wilson, was a blind peddler who travelled from town to town selling old papers which he claimed had historical values. A program used in Ford's theater on the night Lincoln was assassinated and the Clinton County Gazette, carrying a story of the burial of Washington were among the old papers sold.

Kirchin printed the papers according to Mr. Wilson from some old plates bought in the east which may have been the original plates used by the Gazette in 1860, according to Mr. Wilson, a large number of copies of the Clinton County Gazette were shipped to Mattoon, Ill., and Mr. Wilson believes that the copies now being discovered are a part of that shipment.

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GROVER C. HOFF

Attorney of Clinton, is in Macon County in the interest of his candidacy for the nomination for Representative from this District on the Democratic ticket.

Mr. Hoff has lived in DeWitt County all of his life, and is one of the leading attorneys of the DeWitt County Bar. He is a son of ex-sheriff and ex-county treasurer Cornelius Hoff, who is one of the most highly respected citizens of DeWitt County.

Mr. Hoff has an excellent record as a citizen, lawyer and former State's Attorney of DeWitt County. His record as State's Attorney shows him to be a man of ability, good judgment, fair in all his dealings, one who believes in the enforcement of the law, and one who believes in a public official honestly and conscientiously performing his duty. He has always been a faithful worker in the interests of all good causes and holds the esteem of the citizens of DeWitt County regardless of political parties. Although DeWitt County is normally Republican by several hundred he was elected State's Attorney by a large majority.

Fraternally he is affiliated with the Odd Fellows, Masons, Elks, Modern Woodmen; a member of the Kiwanis Club, and of the Presbyterian Church.

All who have met him are favorably impressed as they realize he is a man fully capable of representing this District, and that he will faithfully and intelligently represent all the People.

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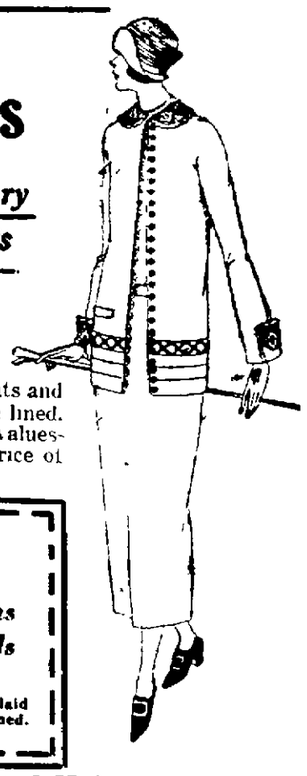

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THEY'RE coats made to sell at $25 to $30, developed of Camel's Hair, Berkshire Plaids, Flamingo and Imported English Polo Coatings. Entirely new ideas of sport and dress coats in all the gay tan and grey variations, plain and in many ways of plaids and stripes. $21.75.

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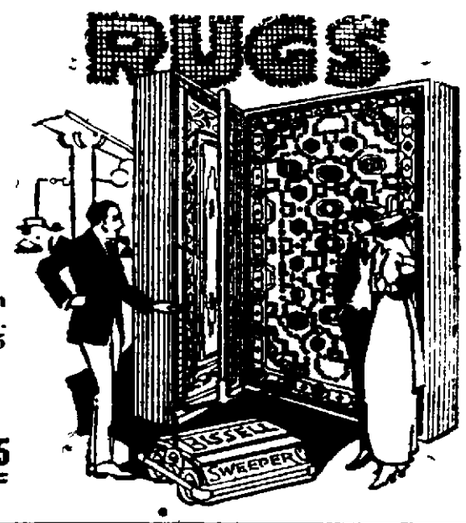

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MISS ALIAS

BY DOUGLAS GRANT

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Sallie Peck, employe of the Fair Deal Five & Ten, quarrels with her policeman sweetheart, Michael Curtis. That night Sallie goes into the yard to take down a washing for Ma Brennan, with whom Sallie lives. A crash shakes the earth and something strikes Sallie a blow on the head.

When she regains consciousness, the girl finds herself in strange surroundings. A French maid calls her Alva Copeland and Madame Copeland, a tall, richly gowned woman, claims her as her step-daughter. Sallie meets Cousin Wheeler, who makes love to her. She resolves to solve the mystery of why she is being substituted for the real Alva Copeland.

Michael Curtis and his friend, Captain Trevor, starts on the trail of Alva and Sallie. Sallie decides to pretend that she is acting in accord with the wishes of the Copelands.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"Look Mees Alva! Are they not beautiful?" the maid exclaimed gushingly as she took a huge bunch of violets from the box. "This envelope is for you, of course, but will this not be tres chic against the gray of your robe?"

Sallie looked at the card to gain time to consider the most consistent move in this double role she was playing and arriving at a quick decision, yawned and threw the card face upward upon the table. It was a plain one and bore, in the peculiar slanting writing which had accompanied the roses of the day before, just three words: "Good morning, from Wheeler."

"I'll say they're all right!" Sallie exclaimed inastough a manner as she could assume. "Cousin Wheeler's the little white-haired boy, ain't he? Sure I'll wear 'em this time, Therese. But what's wrong? Is he gonna call mornings, too?"

"Madame have invited M'sieu Sloat for lunch, I think, and as you are so happily recovered, Mees Alva, it is permitted that you again take your place." Therese's head was bowed as she pinned the violets to the gray girdle but her tone was dignified and somewhat shocked. "Madame is waiting for you in her sitting room."

Broad sunlight streaming in at a great bay-window replaced the candle-glow of the previous day and the mauve room appeared larger and more austere in spite of its elaborate furnishings. Mrs. Copeland, too, as she rose to receive the girl seemed to have lost a little of her gracious poise and beneath the cosmetics her face was haggard.

"Good morning, Alva, dear—" She bent forward as though to kiss her but Sallie drew back.

"Good morning, Mrs. Copeland," she responded deliberately. "I'm glad to get a chance for this talk with you."

"I — I don't understand!" Mrs. Copeland faltered, taken aback at the boldness of the attack.

"Oh, you got me all right!" retorted Sallie coolly. "You know I'm not your stepdaughter, this 'Alva' kid, and you know there ain't anything more the matter with my head than there is with yours!"

"If you are not my step-daughter," Mrs. Copeland said slowly as she sank into a chair and mechanically gestured to another. "Who are you?"

"Don't you wish you knew!" Sallie sneered tauntingly.

"My dear, we all know about you." Mrs. Copeland rose to the bait. "You are Sarah Peck, and you worked in a store in Shaftstown—"

"Sure I do! That's me!" Sallie interrupted, with elaborate over-eagerness. "You don't know who my folks are, though, nor the crowd I travel with!"

"We have ascertained that you have no relations but have lived with a Mrs. Brennan, and that a young detective sergeant of the police has been paying you attention."

Sallie laughed long and loud, and Mrs. Copeland eyed her with growing wonder.

"Paying me attention, eh? That's good! I ain't tying up with any bull, believe you me!"

Mrs. Copeland shuddered.

"You— you don't seem like the same girl you were yesterday!" she murmured. "Your speech, your manner—It does not seem possible!"

"I can be a lady when I like!" Sallie flared up in pretended anger, then added: "There ain't no need of it now and besides, it's a nuisance!"

"Nevertheless, my girl, you will find that it pays." There was a significance in Mrs. Copeland's tone not lost upon her companion.

"That's what I want to find out," Sallie remarked promptly. "How much?"

She felt elated when Mrs. Copeland put both hands to her temples in horror.

"Really, you must try to speak so that I can understand you!" she exclaimed. "I am prepared this morning to talk to you quite frankly and if you are a sensible girl you will see it is greatly to your advantage that we brought you here and took care of you."

"I wasn't exactly homeless, but I ain't kicking—yet!" Sallie's reply was noncommittal. "I'll say you treated me fine so far, but what do you want of me?"

"Merely to stay here with me in my house as my stepdaughter Alva, and the financee—the promised wife — of my late husband's nephew, Wheeler Sloat. This —visit —may end at any time or at most in a few months hence." Mrs. Copeland spoke slowly as though choosing her words. "You will be surrounded with every luxury, as you see; you will have all the pretty clothes you like and I shall give you some jewelry appropriate for a young girl which you may take with you when you leave us. At that time, too, if you will immediately leave this country and never return or communicate with any of your former associates, and will never mention this little transaction between us to anyone, you shall receive twenty-five thousand dollars!"

She sat back in her chair as though prepared to receive the thanks of the girl but Sallie shook her head.

"Twenty-five grand is an awful lot of money just to be adopted and play the lady for a few months; too much, unless other folks are making such a killing out of it that it ought to be worth more to me. I ain't asking you what your name is, Mrs. Copeland. I'd be willing to play it the way you tell me and no questions asked, but how do you know I'd get away with it?"

"I am quite sure of that, my dear girl, and nothing can go wrong, I assure you!"

"Mr. Wheeler Sloat!" Fitch announced from the doorway with a slight cough.

Sallie turned and gazed straight past the advancing visitor to the footman, and to her surprise he winked and then made an unmistakable gesture with his head toward the hall.

"Dear Aunt Flo!" Sloat bowed over the hand and then turned to Sallie. "I see you are wearing my violets, Alva! And how much better you look this morning—!"

"Wheeler, is the door closed?" Mrs. Copeland interrupted. "Sit down. You are a trifle late at our conference, although I admit that our young guest here precipitated it. I have been explaining our little proposition to her."

"Indeed!" Sloat gave her a keen

SALLIE GAZED PAST THE VISITOR TO THE FOOTMAN.

glance and then smiled at Sallie. "Then our little Cinderella knows the good fortune in store for her?"

"She does not appear to consider it in that light," Mrs. Copeland shrugged. "She seems to fear that something may go wrong with our plan."

"Oh, absolutely not!" interrupted Sloat. "There isn't a chance for a hitch anywhere!"

"That's what they all say!" Sallie grinned. "I don't know your lay nor the gang that's working in with you but s'pose somebody lays down on you, or snitches, or sells you out? As far as I can make out you haven't any of you seen the real Alva since she was a little kid and you might stall that I'd been palmed off on you at the convent you were talking about yesterday."

"My dear!" Mrs. Copeland spoke again in horrified accents. "It is unthinkable that you could be recognized as other than my stepdaughter, but surely you know that we would protect you! You would have the best legal advice, the highest influence would be brought to bear to explain your part in our—our little joke!"

Sloat had listened with a peculiarly shrewd expression to Sallie's speech, so vastly different from the mildly slangy, half-illiterate one of the previous day, and now calling still further upon her slender knowledge of the vernacular of crookdom, as gleaned from Mike's anecdotes of Headquarters, she replied:

"That listens well, and maybe you mean it, Mrs. Copeland, but the only joke about it would be the legal advice and the high influence if I should happen to get pinched! I might take a chance for fifty thou. and promise to quit the country and not squeal when you've turned your trick if you've played square, but not for less."

Sloat stroked his hair and returned his aunt's uncertain gaze with a meaning one.

"My dear—ah, young lady—what you ask is quite out of the question! You are running not the slightest risk but are enjoying instead an experience which could come to you once in a lifetime. But let us leave that matter until my aunt has had an opportunity to consult with—ah, the others."

"There's something else," Sallie observed. "If I'm supposed to be this 'Alva' kid, do I have to do the society act? Meet a lot of swells, I mean, and all that?" 'Cause if I do, it's all off! I could never learn to talk and act like you people in a million years and the convent stuff ain't in my line."

"Very sensible, my dear girl, I'm sure!" Sloat responded. "The idea was that Alva was to be seen as little as possible under the circumstances, wasn't it, Aunt Flo?"

Mrs. Copeland nodded.

"That is exactly what we had planned. Although Alva was—ere—engaged to you she had been removed from the convent before her graduation because of her dear grandmother's grave condition and the same reason will suffice to postpone her debut indefinitely and avoid the necessity for her appearance at any formal social affairs."

"There's more than that on my mind!" Sallie announced with a quick glance at Sloat. "I wouldn't want to meet any of your friends—any of the dames who call in to see you."

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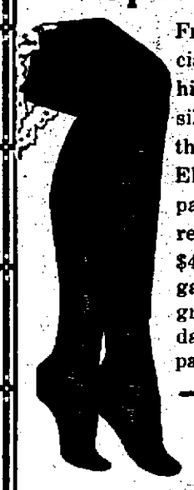

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New Easter Suits

New Tailleur Suits for Spring, pencil stripe, Bedford Cords, Shadow Twills, Checks and Poiret Twills, a long slightly fitted coat for the tall woman, a short box coat for the slim figure. Single and double breasted effects. Suits are very much in demand. Come and see the wonderful values we offer at

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50 dozen full bleached fine linen finished bed sheets, 81 by 90; free from dressing; worth $1.85 Friday at Stewart's sale price, each,

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Wonderful heavy pile Axminster rugs; all new patterns; regular $40 to $45 values; Stewart's undersell all competition.

$60, 9x12 Axminster Rugs $42.75

Genuine Bigelow Hartford Bussorah Axminsters; Stewart's price the lowest in all Decatur; all new rugs just received.

$100, 9x12 Wilton Rugs $74.50

High-grade Wilton rugs; the finest American rugs; worth regularly $100 to $125; Stewart's undersell all competition; $74.50.

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Upwards of 60 bolts of full bleached, soft finish muslin, yard wide, regular price 22c a yard, Friday at Stewart's.

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Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs; 9x12; worth regularly $14.50; Stewart's, sale price,

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Genuine felt base Floortex and Feltex; six feet wide; regularly 75c a yard; all new patterns; sale price, a yard

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Shades

Best opaque cloth window shades; in all the best colors; regularly 69c; remember, sale only, sale price, each—

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Curtains

We place on special sale upwards of 200 pairs of new scrim ruffled curtains; sale price, pair,

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Very fine curtain nets, in shadow and filet patterns; all new designs; regularly 75c curtain nets; a yard—

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Upwards of fifty pieces of new yard-wide Marquisette; very pretty white material for draperies; sale price, yard

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Will Straighten Jog In North Water Street

H. S. Gebhart and J. M. Allen To Consider Any Plans Made By City at Mill Site.

One of the outcomes of the sale of the Water street plant of the American Hominy company to H. S. Gebhart and J. M. Allen will be the straightening of the jog in the property line at the Wabash railroad crossing. It is understood that the new owners of the property have already been told that any suggestions will receive kindly consideration. No plans have been decided on as to just how the expense of making the change will be borne.

ZONE DISCUSSED

The boiler room of the plant is in the Water street building jutting into the street. One of the street about six feet. This has been a subject for considerable discussion in the past. Six years or two or three years ago when the Staley company owned considerable property in the vicinity of the plant, when the city council with a view of enforcing demand that the property owner be notified to move buildings back.

For several months during the discussion of the subject would take up the question and settlement of the city attorney to take up the matter at once. The first thing the city attorney found was that the property owned not only the jog into the street but had title in fee to the center of the street and was paying taxes on it and legally so by the public.

KNOW ALL FACTS

It is just the enthusiasm of the city administration has always been sufficient to put the whole subject back to sleep for another three or four years.

Now, however, both sides are approaching discussion of the matter in the interest of getting the street straightened.

LOUIS CASSELS START BACK SOON

Will Leave Florida April 14. Arriving May 15.

The return trip to Decatur of Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Cassell, who have been spending the winter months in Clearwater, Fla., has been arranged for April 14 according to a letter received by Mr. Nelson from the Cassells. They expect to arrive in Decatur about May 15.

They will drive through by way of the Dixie highway to Nashville and then to Louisville. Their route from Nashville to Decatur will depend on the condition of the roads.

Cassell will record the condition of the roads for the use of the Decatur Motor club.

ROTARIANS BACK FROM CONVENTION

Commend Arrangements in Springfield.

Decatur members of the Rotary club who attended the district convention at Springfield began arriving home the middle of the afternoon Wednesday. President J. M. Allen, E. D. W. Fritz and Owen Scott became among the first to come. Decatur had a total of twenty three members at the conference most of them going Tuesday morning and staying until Wednesday afternoon. A few came home Tuesday night and went back Wednesday morning.

Those who stayed reported that they had comfortable accommodations in the Springfield hotels. The outside attendance was not enough to crowd Springfield a total of about 900 being there. About 1100 from outside attended the district convention when it was held in Decatur two years ago. At that time however the district included all of Illinois while now it includes only half the state although there are about as many clubs as there were when the conference was held in Decatur.

COMMEND ARRANGEMENTS

Decatur Rotarians commend most highly the arrangements and entertainment made and given by the Springfield Rotarians. The great object of interest to the Decatur visitors was the new Elks club house in which the conference sessions were held. All the Decatur visitors went over the club house and expressed great admiration for its size and many conveniences.

Many of them were rather fully informed as to the cost and plans from having read the full description in The Review two weeks ago. The building cost about $750,000. It has a swimming pool in the basement, auditorium seating 1,000 people, numbers of sitting rooms, parlors, dining rooms including a roof garden from which a big part of Sangamon county may be seen.

When the Decatur club members got here Tuesday morning the first person they met on the reception committee was Fred Kelly. Some called to talk about recent events in Springfield but did not get any response from Mr. Kelly who limited himself to extending them a cordial welcome.

ULLRICH FATHERS PLAN CARNIVAL

To Be Given April 11 with Many Shows.

Definite plans were made Wednesday evening in a meeting of the Ullrich school Fathers' club for the pitch-penny supper and carnival which the club will have in the school Friday evening April 11. For the carnival there will be a picture show, a vaudeville show, southern plantation show and a number of other booths to be decided upon later. Popcorn, peanuts, ice cream, candies, soft drinks, etc., will be on sale besides the fish pond which is always a delight. The proceeds are to be used in helping the Mothers club purchase a stereopticon machine for the school.

Mr. Shulse is general chairman of the affair and the special chairmen are as follows:

Kitchen—C. J. Nail assisted by Mrs. Ida Bowman and Mrs. Buffner.
Soft drinks—Mr. Donahue.
Floor manager—Mr. Scroggins.
Fish pond—Mr. Mills.
Announcer—Mr. Rozanski.
Ticket taker—Mr. Ballinger.
Pop corn and peanuts—Mr. Nail.
Ice cream—Mr. Brooks.
Candies—Mr. Dill.
Shows—Mr. Davis.

Tickets for the supper and carnival will be on sale only at the school the night of the affair.

In the meeting Wednesday evening the men also decided to purchase milk for the nutrition class for the next two months. This class is doing a very great work in the school and the Fathers' club feels it is worthy of help.

BIG CHANGE IN LAST THIRTY YEARS

Find Postoffice Report of 1892 to 1893.

Digging up some old time literature about ourselves is always of interest to thousands of Decatur people. Therefore a pamphlet recently uncovered by Assistant Postmaster H. J. Andrews would be of interest. It seems that back thirty years ago the postmaster in Decatur at that time published an annual report telling all about the office.

The report mentioned was published for the fiscal year from July 1, 1892 to June 30, 1893, but evidently it came as from July 1 otherwise it would be only an eleven months report. The pamphlet was printed at the time.

ORGANIZATION

Under the title "Organization of the office" it is announced that George P. Steele was then chief clerk and money order clerk. In the letter carrying division were just three clerks, Edward C. Farrell, W. J. Hancock and Clifford S. Fulbright, while evidently the only other clerk was Charles L. Hubbard, superintendent and distributing clerk, also in charge of the free delivery division.

There were 10 regular carriers, William Stubbs, August Kowalski, Alfred H. Post, Landy M. Martin, Robert Smithers, Frank A. Lytle, Fred Lots, Warren L. Stewart, Walter W. Nielsen and Frank P. Mead, while Norman O. Masterson was substitute clerk. Of these Kowalski and Masterson are the only two connected with the force.

Going back to the clerical force Miss Anna Fiddelhusen was the registering and money order clerk, Albert H. Jones box and general delivery clerk and William Brown special delivery messenger.

THEN AND NOW

In the present day the force numbers more than eighty employes and the daily expense runs close to $900.

The yearly postal receipts were just barely above the $42,000 mark while at present the receipts are in around $46,000 and of late have run a month. The expenses were less than $900 a week.

Last year close to 1,000,000 money orders were handled representing a total value of more than $1,100,000. While in that day the amount paid was about $189,000. It would take too much space to compare all the figures with those of today but an example in comparison shows that in the year 14,235 mail sacks were dispatched while last year the postoffice force often dispatched 700 or more of these mail sacks in a day.

KANSAS UTILITIES MERGED WITH I. P. L.

Will Be Known Hereafter As Kansas Public Service Co.

Under the name of the Kansas Public Service Company the various utilities in that state owned by the Illinois Power & Light Co. have been consolidated under permission recently granted by the Charter Board of Kansas. The change was announced in Chicago Wednesday.

The Kansas Light & Power Co. has also been formed to build the new power plant at Tecumseh and transmission lines in Kansas among them the line from Topeka to Atchison.

JUST ANOTHER STEP

The merger of the Kansas properties, said the officials of the parent company Wednesday, is another step in the program of public utility development in the central states which has been mapped out by the Illinois Power and Light Corporation now operating in more than [illegible] cities and towns of five states in the Mississippi Valley.

The formation of the new companies was effected around the Topeka Railway & Light Company, which was the holding company and owned all the stock of the Topeka Edison Company and the Topeka Railway Company.

Officers of the Kansas Company are Clement Studebaker, Jr., president, William A. Bicknell, first vice president, Scott Brown, vice president and secretary, George M. Mattis, treasurer.

TALLULA STOCK IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

$90,000 Estimated Loss When Barns Burn.

Tallula, April 3.—Flames of unknown origin last night swept four barns on the farm of Col. C. C. Judy, one of the largest breeders of blooded cattle, horses and hogs in the United States and before they had spent their force more than eighty head of the best Jersey blood of the nation had perished. The total loss is estimated at $90,000.

The losses also included a number of registered Duroc Jersey and Berkshire hogs, three saddle horses and several valuable mules. The farm owned by Colonel Judy is The Walnuts and is near Tallula. The Judy herd which is owned and managed by Miss Mary Judy, daughter of Colonel Judy, is the largest accredited herd in the state and had taken many prizes at fairs and exhibits held throughout the country.

FAMOUS STOCK KILLED

The Sadie Heath family, including twenty cows of famous Tennessee Jersey stock, was completely wiped out.

The blaze which was of unknown origin was discovered about 8:30 o'clock in the main barn which was built as a coliseum with a large show arena in the center.

From this building flames swept rapidly through a hall leading to another barn where hay and feed was stored. The other barns and buildings including the engine house and water system, soon caught.

The loss on both animals, barns and equipment is partly covered by insurance.

"Of course we will continue in the business," stated Miss Judy. "We will have to erect barns as rapidly as possible and may build some temporary structure but we have no definite plans along that line right now," she added.

The fire she stated will not prevent them from entering the fairs throughout the country next fall.

FREE STATE ARMY HAS 20,000 MEN

Dublin, April 3.—(AP)—It has been [illegible] that the permanent establishment of the Free State army shall consist of 27 battalions, nine brigades and three commands. In addition there will be various separate services, an army school of instruction, a school of army music and a training camp at Curragh. The army will total almost 20,000 men.

HOME BUREAU

The Home Bureau office [illegible] and all the plans [illegible] looking toward making of these [illegible] office and club room for the members of the unit to use when in the city.

A board meeting which is to be held in the offices Monday afternoon at three will be given on the money necessary for the purchase of the equipment for the room. It will be with the approval of the unit officers and all money for the purchase of these required.

Miss Nettie Woods the Home Advisor will be in town a Friday and Saturday. The presence of advisors who will come from all over the state.

The board meeting for Monday will be held in the house of Mrs. G. C. Fuller instead of in the office as there room will be more in a condition for the meeting.

Hospital Alumni

The Alumni Association of the Decatur and Macon County hospital will hold the regular monthly meeting in the home of Miss Riley Moss 1165 West Cerro Gordo, on Monday, April 7 at 8 o'clock.

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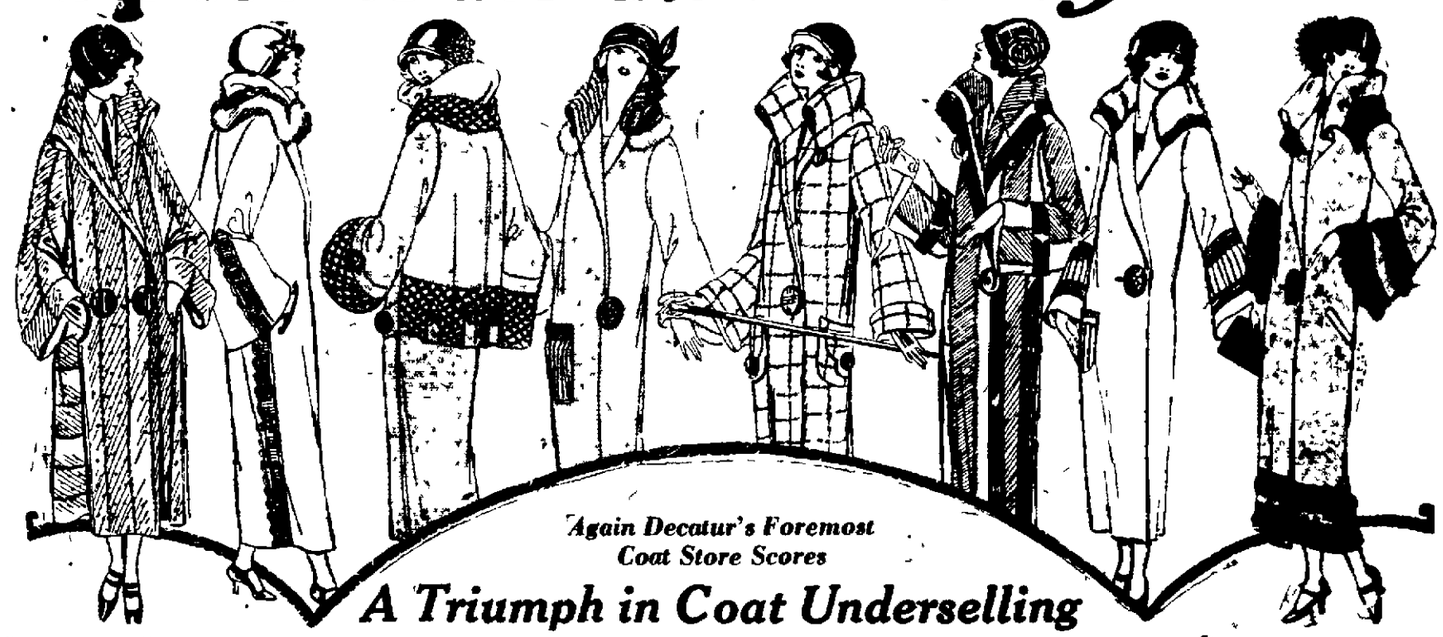

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SOCIAL NEWS

MISS WILLARD TO RETURN SOON FROM MADRID, SPAIN

Word has been received from Mr and Mrs. J M Willard, West Macon street who are passing the winter months in Florida, concerning their daughter, Miss Ruth Willard who is a student in the University of Madrid Spain stating that she is planning to return to the States within a month or so Owing to the recent political uprising in Spain it was thought unsafe for the American students and instructors to remain as one professor in the school had been deported to the Canary Islands Miss Willard in her letter stated that politics were not allowed to be discussed in the school rooms or on the street or at any public gathering

The Decatur young woman left the early part of last fall for Spain where she planned to remain a year in the university She won a scholarship from the University of Illinois which admitted her to the foreign school

Miss Willard at the time the letter was written was making plans to go to France from where she will sail for New York and then come directly to Decatur Mr and Mrs Willard expect to return from Florida about the fourteenth of April

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Mr and Mrs C A Stadler and their son Warren Stadler returned Wednesday from St Petersburg Fla where they passed the winter Mrs Stadler and her son left for the south the eleventh of December and were joined by Mr Stadler a month later The Decatur folk took a number of sidetrips during their absence making their headquarters in St Petersburg

Ingrown Toe Nail

Turns Out Itself

A noted authority says that a few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrowing nail reduces inflammation and pain and so toughens the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail, that it can not penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally outward almost overnight

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SEVENTY-EIGHT couple attended the regular Elks dance for members and their wives Wednesday night in the Elks ball room the hours being from 8 30 until 11 30 Homebrook's seven-piece orchestra furnished the music for dancing The members of the entertainment committee were in charge namely P W Trotter chairman K Price J F McNair and Jack Kitchen The next regular dance will be Wednesday night April 28 Any member of the Elks club is privileged to bring a guest or one couple with him to this dance

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FIRST TO MOVE TO FISHING CLUB

Mr and Mrs I S Barbey have the distinction of being the first family to take up their summer residence at the Decatur Fishing Club having moved out to their cottage on Tuesday Thus far they have had no difficulty in keeping warm and expect to be quite comfortable as they have a warmly built cottage with a large stove in their living room Mr and Mrs Barbey plan to do some repairing on their cottage adding a sleeping porch on the east side

The road to the Fishing Club is in very good condition now and although rather rough there is no mud The roads in the grounds are in good shape as there has been no travel on them during the winter as a chain across the entrance has kept out trespassers Mr Adams the custodian and his family have been the only persons living at the club this winter

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400 INVITATIONS FOR BORUFF-ENGLAND WEDDING APRIL 19

Four hundred invitations were issued Thursday for the wedding of Miss Mildred Boruff daughter of Mr and Mrs T W Boruff and Mr Herbert England son of Mr and Mrs C J England which will take place at high noon Saturday April 19 at the Central Church of Christ Rev John P Golden pastor will perform the ceremony

Following there will be a wedding breakfast served at the Boruff home in West Decatur street to the members of the two families and the immediate friends

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Mrs T J Carver of North Church street entertained the Progressive Bridge club Tuesday afternoon with Mrs T O Mott winning high score prize Second prize was won by Mrs Guy Chamberlain and third Mrs Art Hendricks The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs Elmer Schlademan 1156 West North street

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The Sans Souci five hundred club was entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs Foster Anderson 949 East Main High scores were made by Mrs Otto Dentz Mrs Lena Davis and Mrs A J Anderson The hostess served a luncheon The next meeting will be with Mrs Harry Pruitt 1696 North Morgan

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Members of the Tri-Mu sorority of the I U Opener Eva Dickerson Mc Kinzie of the Y W C A had a pot luck lunch on noon Friday at the home The luncheon was given in honor of one of the members of the club who celebrated on that day

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Mrs Grover Cleveland 60 East Condit street entertained the Golly five hundred club Wednesday afternoon with three tables at play High score prize was won by Mrs George Toland second Mrs Paul Parks second Mrs Louis Higdon and consolation Mrs Dwight Finney Mr Higdon was a guest Light refreshments were served The next meeting will be Wednesday April 9 with Mrs Frank Parkinson

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WOMAN'S CLUB MEET IN CLINTON

Clinton April —On April 10 and 11 the Illinois Federation of Woman's clubs will hold its nineteenth district annual convention in Clinton at the Library club rooms at which time Mrs George T Palmer of Springfield will be present and address the convention Mrs Palmer is president of the State Federation

Mrs Walter McNabb Miller national health officer of Springfield also will be present and address the assembly

Mrs Flo Jamison Miller of Monticello, president of the nineteenth district is another who will be present for the two days sessions and will be welcomed to this city by many of the women who have been interested in her addresses which she has delivered on numerous occasions in Clinton

It is quite probable that a number of Decatur women will attend the meeting

ALL READY FOR BIG GYM FESTIVAL

To Be Held At Millikin Friday Night.

With the final rehearsals being held in the gymnasium at Millikin University and everything going on ahead of schedule students at J M U are ready for the opening flourish of trumpets of Friday night to start the second annual Gym Festival Those in charge have been working to the limit during the last week and arrangements are complete tickets have been sold and with the exception of a few seventy five cent seats the entire house is sold out

There will be it is expected a few seats remaining Friday evening for the very late comers A waiting list to be filled with tickets that may be offered for resale has been made up A meeting giving final special instructions to all who are participating in the festival was held Thursday morning in the chapel Directions at this time were completed

MORE MANY STUDENTS

Almost every student in school will take part in this mamoth affair the principle characters of which have been kept secret until the final curtain of King Arthur Who the Queen of Love and Beauty is and who the Maiden Neophyte is as well as the Ladies of the Court and the Candidates for Knighthood no one except those few know and the names will be disclosed Friday evening The girl Fairie Nell Arrington who was King last year will hold a position in the court the year claiming and deserving the first festival of being crowned again

Tuesday English is to be with Prision Offers as pages in the court Petunia as lute Trumpeters Ethel Fay Snyder and Martha Wood Fages Ruth Triggs Helen Stokes Detail Bessman Louise Cisens Standard Learers William Conlon Marc Adkisson Court Jester—Alfred Nelson

Those who participate in the remainder of the festival include almost every student in the University in one role or another The event will be without a doubt one of the greatest and finest of the school year at J M U

MARRIED

COZAD WELCH

Cecil P Cozad and Miss Grace Welch both of Mt Zion were married at four Wednesday evening at the parsonage of St Pauls Methodist church Rev H J Powell performing the ceremony They were attended by Mr and Mrs Francis Cozad Mr Cozad is a machinist employed by the Wabash and he and his bride will reside in Decatur

PERSONALS

Mrs M F Gunn 300 North Lincoln street and daughter will leave today for California where they will spend several weeks

Mr and Mrs H C Litten are left Thursday for Orlando Fla where they will spend several weeks

Oak Grove Club

The Oak Grove Community club will meet at 2 o Friday afternoon in the school There will be election of officers

WOMAN'S CLUBS MEET IN CLINTON

Nineteenth District Session April 10, 11.

PROGRAMS RECEIVED

Dr. E. R. Darling of Millikin to Speak.

The complete program for the annual convention of the Nineteenth District Illinois Federation of Woman's Clubs which convenes in Clinton Ill, April 10 11 has just been issued

This includes the many Woman's clubs throughout this district which have joined the federation The president of the organization is Mrs Flo Jamison Miller of Monticello well known in Decatur, and prominent in Woman's club work and in the work of the National Council of Women

DARLING ON PROGRAM

The sessions will be held in the club rooms of the John Warner library Dr E R Darling of the Millikin university in Decatur will be one of the speakers The program is

THURSDAY APRIL 10 1 00 P M

Mrs Miller presiding

Piano—Miss Jennie Wilson

Song—America

Invocation—Rev C Harmon Johnson

Greetings—Mrs Daniel Ward

Response— Mrs C D Babb second vice-president

Vocal solo—Mrs Frank Zeigler

Appointments of committees reports of officers

Address, 'Making Democracy Function,"—Mrs Walter McNabb Miller, chairman general federation on health

Club reports

Music — High School Girls Glee club.

Banquet — Dining room St Paul Universalist church

THURSDAY 8 00 P M

Mrs Miller, presiding

Organ solo—Mrs Sylvia Edmiston

Introduction of Mrs George T Palmer, state president of the Illinois federation by Mrs Eugenia Bacon of Decatur Mrs Bacon, well known club woman will be the guest of honor throughout this convention

Address—Mrs George T Palmer

Violin — Miss Eileen Taylor Miss Sylvia Hammons, accompanist

Address— 'Every Day Chemistry"—Professor E. R Darling, Millikin university

Announcements

FRIDAY, APRIL 11 9 A M

Mrs C D Babb and Mrs J J Miller presiding

Music—Mrs Sylvia Hammond

Reports of Committees

Reports of chairmen of departments.

Report of Nominating committee

Election of officers

FRIDAY, APRIL 11 1 30 P M

Report of clubs

Minutes of sessions — Recording secretary.

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CHECKING UP ON SCHOOL TEACHERS

Learn Number Vacancies to Be Filled This Summer.

Superintendent J J Richeson and his office force are just now busy checking over the various teachers throughout the system with a view to teacher employment for the coming year The teachers are being checked up on for recommendation for re-employment, and to find out just how many vacancies are to be filled

TO NORMAL

Miss Sarah Mark Imboden, supervisor of the grades, went to Normal Ill, Thursday, for the purpose of getting into touch with graduates of the school there, and to employ a new teacher at H B Durfee. This teacher will have charge of one of the rooms of the lower grades which has just been organized to relieve congestion in the other rooms.

MISS EYE ILL

Miss Mary Eye, teacher of domestic art in the Roosevelt high school is ill with rheumatism and is now in the Decatur and Macon County Hospital

Sues For Divorce

Helen L Andrus has filed a bill for divorce from Archie Andrus They were married Aug 1 1921 and lived together till Oct 11 1921. She charges him with desertion.

How to End Constipation New Safe Way

Many doctors now advise this entirely safe prescription which acts in a new way Instead of irritating the intestines and causing them to eject the waste through spasms and "explosions" it tones up the intestinal muscles themselves Then they act in a manner as pleasant and as natural as if one had never known what constipation meant Instead of forming a constipation "habit" this method is intended to "break" the habit already formed and soon to make one independent of drugs This efficient but harmless prescription has now been distributed to drug stores under the name "Prenolin" Now mind you how long you have suffered the miserable relief you will obtain in just two days will be a revelation to you Sold in 25c packages by Gardner Drug Co L N Irwin Drug Co United Drug Co, Decatur Drug Co

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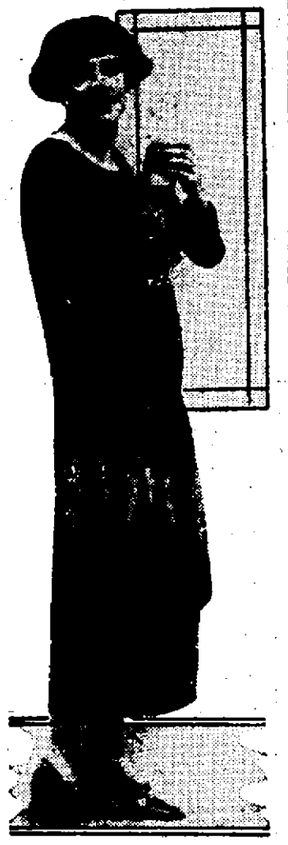

A pleasing combination of simplicity and subtlety is achieved in this frock of black satin-backed crepe. The long waist is outlined by an embroidered girdle and more elaborate ornamentation is seen in the band of gray embroidered satin introduced on the tunic.

Silver Popular.

Silver embroidery is used on some of the latest French models put on in a way to simulate silver lace.

Linings.

Linings to the new wraps are frequently embroidered or are braided or banded with contrasting colors.

Two Pieces.

Many smart spring frocks are made in two pieces, the skirt being joined to a camisole top and the upper part in the form of an overblouse which comes over the top of the skirt and may be belted or not according to one's taste.

WOLVES MIGRATE TO ESCAPE WINTER

Salonica—(AP)—The wolves of the Carpathian mountains, driven south by the severe winter, are threatening the sheep folds on the shores of the Aegean sea where millions of sheep are gathered to pass the winter months. The present invasion exceeds all previous records. Bulgaria and the Macedonian district north of Salonica report many attacks by wolves, hunting in packs.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

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(A daily menu for the stout and thin)

EAT AND—

Lose Weight ***Gain Weight***

One-half grapefruit, asparagus omelet, 6 radishes, ½ broiled spring chicken, 1 cup fruit salad, 4 tablespoons stewed onions, 4 tablespoons apple snow, 2 pieces whole wheat toast, 2 small bran muffins, 1 gluten roll, 1 pint skimmed milk.

Total calories, 1137. Protein, 292; fat, 264; carbohydrate, 581. Iron .0174 gram.

ASPARAGUS OMELET.

Two eggs, 2 tablespoons hot water, 1 teaspoon butter, salt and pepper, 2 tablespoons asparagus tips.

Separate yolks from whites of eggs and beat yolks until thick and lemon colored with the hot water. Beat in sugar and pepper. Beat whites on a platter until stiff and dry and fold in yolk mixture.

Melt butter in hot frying pan, turn in egg mixture and cook like any omelet. Just before folding and slipping to hot platter cover half the omelet with the cooked and seasoned asparagus. Fold and serve at once. The stalks of the asparagus should be used for soup for the rest of the family.

Total calories, 224. Protein, 61; fat, 153; carbohydrate, 10. Iron, .0034 gram.

One-half grapefruit with sugar, 4 buckwheat pancakes, 4 ounces fresh country sausage, 4 tablespoons maple sirup, 4 tablespoons apple sauce, asparagus omelet with 4 tablespoons creamed asparagus, 6 radishes, 1 cup cream of mushroom soup, ½ broiled spring chicken, 2 new potatoes in cream sauce, 4 tablespoons French fried onions, 1 cup fruit salad with 4 tablespoons whipped cream dressing, 4 tablespoons apple snow with 4 tablespoons boiled custard, 4 tablespoons rice pudding with sugar and ¼ cup cream, 2 bran muffins, 2 2-inch squares corn bread, 4 tablespoons butter, 1 pint whole milk.

Total calories, 4180. Protein, 472; fat, 1626; carbohydrate, 2082. Iron .0183 gram.

The tender stalks of the asparagus should be cut in inch pieces and cooked in water to cover until tender. Add to cream sauce and pour over omelet. Any water remaining in the pan in which the asparagus was cooked can be used in the sauce.

Plenty of butter and half asparagus liquor and half cream make a delicious rich sauce. When the liquor is used this way none of the value of the vegetable is lost.

The rice pudding is made with milk, eggs and raisins, the more raisins the better. It is served warm with sugar and cream.

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Household Suggestions

Turpentine.

Shades of red and green may be set in cotton cloth by dipping the material in turpentine.

Clean Currants.

Clean currants for a cake by putting into a colander with a sprinkling of flour and rubbing the fruit about with your fingers.

Sandwiches.

For making sandwiches be sure

you have a sharp knife, bread at least a day old and softened butter.

Fine Finish.

A good floor wax dissolved in turpentine makes an excellent finish for

furniture finished with wax such as fumed and Flemish oak. It should be applied sparingly and rubbed in thoroughly.

Add Cornstarch.

When making candy add a tablespoon of cornstarch and your result will be a finely textured and creamy mixture.

SADORUS TOWNSHIP ELECTION RESULTS

Ivesdale, April 3— The results of Tuesday's election in Sadorus township put the entire Democratic ticket in office.

Harry Perkins, road commissioner, was elected with a majority of 200 votes; Ed. Monaghan, assessor, with a majority of 185 votes; B. C. Goers, township clerk 346 votes (no opposition); Curt McQueen, constable with a majority of 171 votes.

The special tax voted on to be levied to all the roads, was not carried, seventy-seven votes for; 167 votes against.

GOOD MANNERS

CURB IS THE RIGHT SIDE

Two ladies, or one, may always expect a gentleman who is walking with them to take the curb side of the walk. He never sandwiches himself between them.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

A new dressmaking class was announced at the meeting of the Federation Council of the Y. W. C. A., held in the association building, Tuesday evening. Nine girls compose the council, seven of whom were present in the meeting. These nine consist of the president of the council and two members from each of the four clubs.

The dressmaking class will take up the making of dresses for this course, and it will be taught by Miss Thelma Elliott of the Millikin university. There is room in the class for six more girls, only, as it is necessary to limit the number of members per class.

A total sum of $53 was cleared on the waffle supper which was held a week ago to make the money for the New York convention delegate's expenses. There remains $50 yet to raise of the $150 for this fund and the council made plans for raising it. One of these plans include a birthday party. This will be a party for all Federation members and a big birthday cake will bear a candle for each member. The money raising comes in from the fact that everyone attending brings a penny for each year of her age.

The annual cradle roll party was planned. This was initiated last year, and all the former Y. W. C. A. girls who are married are invited. It is then that every mother who has a baby has an opportunity to let it be known that it is just the nicest baby in the world. This party will be held on Mothers' Day.

Other plans include a supper party for the mothers of the girls, May 13. Definite plans for this will be made at a later time.

The association girls are looking forward to the lecture on Yellowstone Park which is to be given by Mrs. L. E. Hopkins, Saturday evening.

JAPANESE TEA HELD AT ARTHUR

Arthur, April 3—The women of the Glad Hand class of the Baptist Sunday school held a Japanese Tea at the Fleming garage Saturday afternoon and evening. Chop suey, rice dainty, tea, wafers and many other things were served. A bazaar was also conducted, many beautiful bargains in hand work being shown.

Miss Purdue of the Durfee school Decatur is a guest of Miss Vesta Crosnoe of the Oglesby school who is spending her vacation at her home in this city.

A basketball tournament was held at the high gym Friday evening. The Arthur grade school team; Troop 1 Boy Scouts and All Western Champs the Taylor school participated. Scouts won first and third places and grade school second and fourth.

DEMONSTRATE VALUE OF MODERN METHODS

Urbana, April 3—The merits of up-to-date and practical methods of poultry production have been demonstrated through the co-operation of approximately 400 chicken raisers in 37 counties in Illinois, according to Dr. L. E. Card, head of the poultry division of the college of agriculture, University of Illinois.

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It doesn't do much good to try to comb or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it; then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and two or three more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. Four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you may have. This simple remedy never fails.

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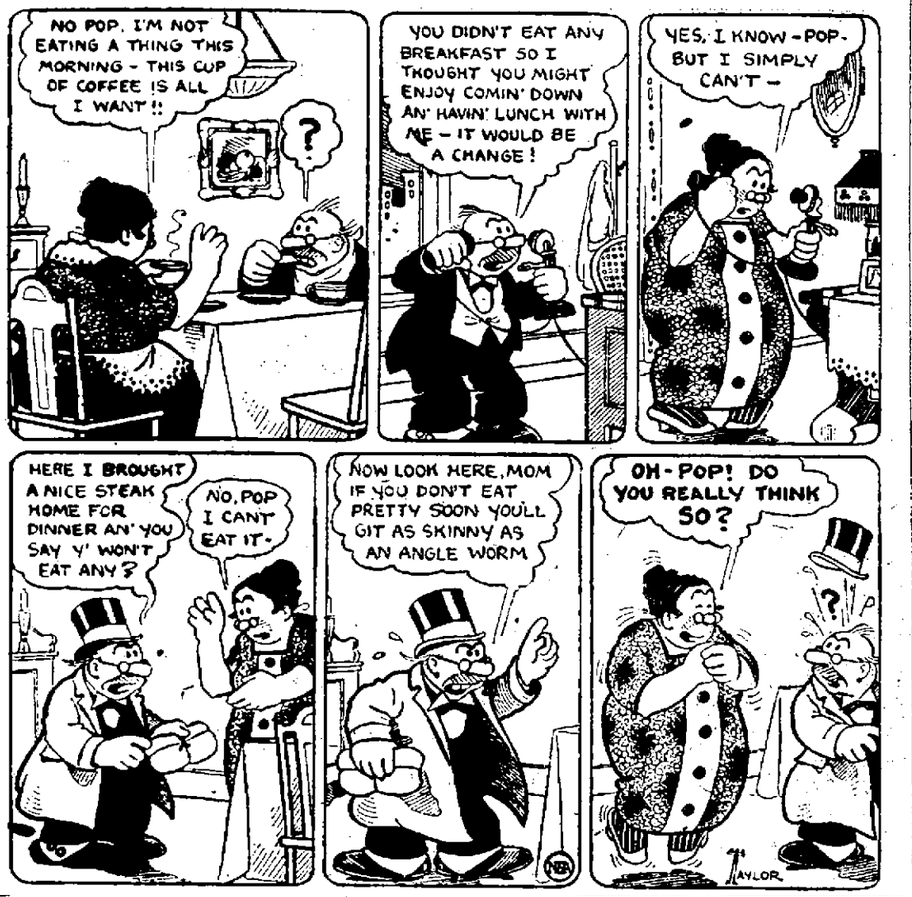

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

Mister Punch Hunts Judy

"Did you see Judy and the baby?" he repeated.

"Did anybody see Judy and the baby?" asked Mister Punch.

Mister Punch looked very funny, dressed in a sort of red and yellow gown, and a high peaked hat with tassels on the side.

"Did you see Judy and the baby?" he repeated. "I thought that after I'd thrown them out of the window they might come to Doofunny Land. Such queer people come here to live, and Judy was certainly a queer 'un."

Nancy and Nick looked at Mister Punch and then at Mister Fuzz Wuzz, and then at Mister Punch again. They didn't know a word he was talking about.

"If you do find Judy," said Mister Fuzz Wuzz, "what do you intend to do with her?"

"Oh!" cried Mister Punch, the tears starting to his eyes, "I intend to give her my stick and let her belabor me for a while. I'm sorry I treated her so. I never meant to, but after Toby bit me on the nose I kind of got mixed up in my head and didn't know what I was doing. Do you want me to tell you about it?"

"Oh, yes!" cried both Twins eagerly. "Please do, Mister Punch. It sounds just fine."

"Other people's troubles always do," declared Mister Punch with a grimace. "But sit down and I'll begin at the beginning.

"One fine day I got ready to take Judy and the baby for a walk. Judy was my wife and the baby was our only child.

"Well, I waited and waited and waited, and every time I called to her to hurry up, she would call back, "Just a minute, Mister Punch, just one more minute.

"I was looking out of the window while I was waiting, and a showman passed with his dog Toby. Toby saw me and jumping up my stairs, he bit me right on my nose.

"Well, that made me awfully mad so I hit him and threw him out of the window.

"Up came the showman, and he yelled, 'Why do you throw my dog Toby out of the window?' And with that he gave me a good beating with a stick—this very stick I have in my hand.

"Well, I grabbed the stick and hit him and then threw him out of the window.

"Just then Judy came in with the baby and I guess I had gotten the habit, for I grabbed the baby and threw it out of the window, and next I beat poor Judy and threw her out, too! Oh, I was a terrible fellow!

"After that I ran out, and knocked down everybody I met a doctor and two policemen, and a whole lot of people, and they put me into jail; but I got out and I've been hunting for Judy ever since. I want to tell her that I'm sorry. And I do hope the poor baby isn't hurt. It isn't good for babies to throw them out of the window."

"Well, I should like to help you, my dear Mister Punch," said Mister Fuzz Wuzz kindly, "but so far Mrs. Judy has not come to Doofunny Land. I'll ask the rag doll, and Mister Hinky-Dinky, and the dancer and everybody, and I'll send you word if I hear of anything."

"Thank you," said Mister Punch, marching stiffly away on his little wooden legs. "Thank you—thank you."

And away he went, tassels, cap, long stick and all.

(To be Continued.)

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A PUZZLE A DAY

The words given above have nothing to do with the building of Noah's ark. They are part of the title of a well-known book, by a well-known author. Part of the title and the author's name have been obliterated. Can you supply the missing letters?

Yesterday's answer:

Idling I sit in this mild twilight dim;
Whilst birds, in wild swift vigil, circling skim
Light winds, in sighing, sink; till rising bright,
Night's virgin pilgrim swims in vivid light.

The missing letter was "H," which needed forty insertions to complete the verse

VANDALIA.

Mrs. J. R. McAfee was called to Decatur Tuesday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Claude Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thalman and two children left Tuesday for Wichita Falls, Texas, for a visit of six weeks or two months.

Mrs. R. S. Denny went to Greenville Tuesday for several days.

Mesdames Lilly Brown, W. M. Farmer, C. L. Oglesby and Miss Carrie Johnson of this city, with Mrs. M. Moss of Mt. Vernon, conference president, and Mrs. M. C. Mitchell, Carbondale, conference secretary, went to Greenville Tuesday to attend a two days' session of the Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church. Misses Irma Oglesby and Marie Schewker were delegates representing the Young Peoples society.

Mrs. G. A. Schultz and Mrs. George Telger went to East St. Louis Tuesday to spend a few days with Mrs. Thomas Wilson.

WOMAN'S CLUB AT DELAND TO MEET

Deland, April 3—The next regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held April 3 with Mrs. Annabel Desback and Mrs. Lura Jones as hostesses.

Mrs. Fred Liestman was hostess to the Woman's Missionary society at her home Wednesday.

The body of W. D. Barnett of Clinton, who died Sunday, was brought to Deland Tuesday for burial.

Mrs. Warren Jones, Mrs. George Crisman and son of Deland are ill of pneumonia.

Rev. Mr. Spainham and family of Odin, Ind., are here to see Mrs. Warren Jones.

Mrs. T. E. O'Brien and daughter of Joliet are guests at J. E. Bickels.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barton attended the funeral of W. D. Barnett at Clinton Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Spainhour preached Sunday evening at the Methodist church.

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You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and a few ounces will last everyone in the family for months.

Church Calendar

FRIDAY.

The Northern division of the Ladies' Aid of Grace Methodist church will hold the annual dollar social at the church at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Members of the Eastern and Western divisions will be guests. The choir will rehearse at 7:15 Friday evening.

The choir and orchestra of the Third United Brethren church will meet for rehearsal Friday evening.

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor of the Second United Brethren church will have its Bible study class at 7:30 Friday evening.

The Ladies' society of the Congregational church will have a business meeting Friday afternoon.

Prayer band of the Church of the Brethren will meet Friday evening with H. P. Clannin, 1039 North Church.

A Lenten service in German will be held in St. Paul's Lutheran church at 7:30 Friday evening.

The third ward Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will meet all day Friday in the church.

The board of elders of the Central Church of Christ will meet at 7 o'clock Friday evening. The Flying Squadron will hold a service at 7:30 Friday evening.

The junior Walther League of St. Johannes' Lutheran church will meet at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

"What Standards Shall We Set For Prospective Christians?" is the subject for the personal workers' conference in the First Methodist church at 7:30 Friday evening. Boy Scouts, troops two and fourteen, will meet at 7:15 Friday evening. The W. H. M. S. will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Mrs. A. W. Conklin will have the devotions. The lesson on "Community Work" will be in charge of Mrs. S. L. Payne. The annual Lenten offering will be taken. Guests will be the Home Guards and Mothers' Jewels. Hostesses are Mrs. J. H. McCoy and Mrs. W. H. Keiser.

Wolf Cubs of the Westminster church will meet Friday evening at 6:30 in the church.

The choir of the Westminster church will rehearse Friday evening at 7:30 in the university.

The Woman's society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the church. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Eugene Hamill and Miss Mildred Kriegbaum, who will give a review of the book, "The Death Eternal." An important business meeting will be held.

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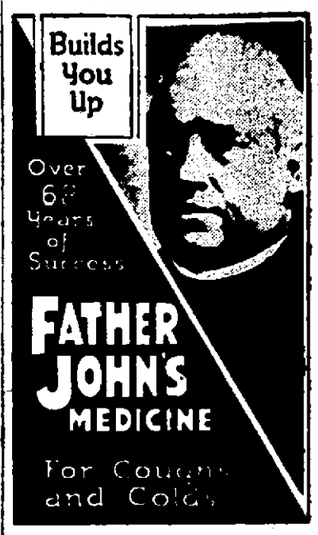

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HARRY E. CAIRNS DIES AT ROCHESTER

Had Been Ill for Last Month Only.

Harry E. Cairns of Decatur died last Saturday at St Marys hospital Rochester Minn according to word received in Decatur Thursday morning. He was thirty-five years old his November. His death was caused by pneumonia.

Mr Cairns was born in Lexington Ill Nov 1 1888 residing there until he was nine years old when the family moved to Decatur. This city has been his home ever since. In his boyhood days he was better known as Lee Cairns. He was a member of the well known musical family the seven Cairns brothers of Decatur. They are widely known throughout the south and central west as one of the best stock companies on the road travelling in their own two private Pullman cars.

ILL MARCH 7

Harry became ill on March 7 while at Joliet and the show closed at once in order that he might be cared for. Mayo Bros sanitorium in Rochester Minn. Here an operation for the kidney and also for pneumonia. The operation was performed March 14 but he developed complications and died Saturday.

Mr Cairns had a host of friends in Decatur and in fact everywhere he was known. He was a member of the Mystic Shrine and the Arcadia lodge and was known to the Decatur public as between seasons he played with the Goodman band. He was a second to the family. His brother George Cairns died and passed away a few years ago. He is survived by his wife Mrs Lee Cairns his mother Mrs Lizzie Cairns of South Main street and his brothers Herbert Walter Richard of South Main street and his brothers Herbert Walter Warren and Pollard Cairns all of whom were with his bedside when death came.

The body was taken to Danville Ill where the funeral was held at the residence of Guy Wood pastor of the Christian church.

MRS. MEREDITHA COSHOW

Mrs Meredithia Coshow wife of Douglas S. Coshow 1020 East Olive street died at 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. She was sixty-seven years old. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases. She had been ill for the past two weeks and had been in the hospital nine days.

Mrs. Coshow's maiden name was Meredithia Portwood. She was born in Mowequa March 1 1857. She had made her home in Decatur for the last thirty years. Beside her husband she is survived by five children, Roy Hutchison John Hutchison Mrs Goldie Highlands Mrs Ruth Hodges all of Decatur and Mrs Elizabeth Brown of Hurst Mont. She also leaves a brother Peter Portwood of Decatur.

The body was removed to the Mann & Sons undertaking establishment and prepared for burial. The funeral probably will be held Sunday.

ANDREW J. CROW

Andrew J. Crow of Decatur died Wednesday at the Danville hospital. He was eighty-two years old last September. He had been in failing health for the last year and had been ill but a few days while visiting relatives in Danville. He was taken to the hospital for rest. The shock of the operation caused his death.

Mr Crow was born in Marshall county Va Sept 9 1841. He was a veteran of the civil war serving four years as a member of company I 5 North West Virginia Cavalry. He lived in this home in Decatur since 1911 and was well known. He was a member of Dunham post 441 G. A. R. for the past 40 years and worked at his trade until old age compelled him to retire. He and Miss Margaret Hollis were married in 1871. Her death occurred May 19 1904. He married Mrs Ellis who survives. This was married Feb 23 1907. He united with the Methodist church early in life. He is survived by his wife and three daughters Mrs M. A. Williams of St Louis Mrs Edward Barrett of Hotchkiss Kan and Mrs S. J. Coffelt of Decatur. The funeral was conducted by the G. A. R. Wednesday afternoon at the Dawson funeral home.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at the Dawson funeral home. Members of Dunham post G. A. R. will meet at the hall at 1:30 o'clock to attend the funeral in a body.

Church Notes

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The Spring Circle of the W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Fred Stockton Monday at 2:30.

TAYLORVILLE LOSES WELL KNOWN WOMAN

Mrs. Lucinda Bower Dies in Hospital.

Taylorville April 3—Mrs Lucinda A. Bower seventy two wife of J. L. Bower who retired several years ago after serving thirty-five years in the railway express service died at the St Vincent hospital at 6:15 o'clock Wednesday morning following illness of two weeks.

Mrs (Jones) Bower was born near Shelbyville in 1852. She was married to J. M. Bower who survives at Jacksonville Ill.

She is survived by four daughters six grandchildren and one great grandchild. She was a member of the local Methodist church.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence Rev. J. T. Campbell officiating. Burial in Oak Hill cemetery.

STAPLES-HAYWOOD

Edward Staples and Miss Frances Haywood both of this city were married in South Bend Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents Mr and Mrs A. H. Haywood 930 West Main street. Rev. S. B. Harry pastor of the Presbyterian church performed the ceremony.

The couple will make their home in this city where the bridegroom is employed by the Wabash railroad.

KEYMEN TO MEET

D. M. Allen of the Baltimore and Ohio and John Turney of the Wabash railroad both of Taylorville will represent this district at the national convention of the Railroad Telegraphers to be held in Cleveland, Ohio May 12 to 14.

Mr Allen will represent the telegraphers from Beardstown to Velma inclusive on the B. & O. and Turney will represent Wabash keymen from Decatur to Moberly, Mo.

Each delegate will represent 100 members of the organization.

WHITE SHRINE HAS ANNUAL BANQUET

Shelbyville Order Has Delightful Time.

Shelbyville April 3—The order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem held its annual banquet at the Masonic Hall in this city Tuesday night. The affair was one of the most successful that has ever been held in the local order. The affair was given in honor of Mrs Daisy Loretta Davis of Chicago Ill. The room and tables were beautifully decorated with jonquils and ferns the color scheme of yellow and white being carried out. Mrs Iris Igo had charge of the decorations.

Mrs Grace Gentner in a brief address told why she had chosen "Flower Garden for toasts and expressed the wish that she could have chosen all sojourners to respond. She introduced Homer A. Herron who acted as toastmaster and took charge of the program in a very interesting manner.

The following toasts were given:

Lily of the Valley—Mrs Lottie Tile.

Wilted Roses—Mrs Clara Johnston.

Lilies—Mrs Mary Rhodes.

Jonquil—[illegible] Lowell.

Bud—Mrs Anna Frisee.

Johnny-Jump-Up—Miss Nettie Weatly.

Forget me not—Mrs Lillie Penshow.

Orchid—Mrs Daisy Davis.

The toastmaster Homer Herron paid tribute to Mrs Omia Crockett Past Worthy High Priestess who was the first of the local chapter as it was through her efforts the members were made honorary members. Little toasts also were given by Mrs Ruth Crews of Champaign Deputy of Watchman of the Shrines and Mrs. Della Paul of Mattoon Supreme Guard Attendant.

The banquet was prepared by Mrs Vest and served by high school girls. The room was fine stunning throughout and a splendid spirit was shown.

After the banquet six candidates were initiated. They were Mrs Lillian Skinner Mrs Viechia Wassell and A. P. Wassell all of Findlay and Misses Zura Crabtree and Lola Augustus of Shelbyville. Much credit is due the officers of the order.

SOME ELECTIONS IN SHELBY COUNTY

Hutton April 3—The annual township election for Ridge township Shelby Co was held at Westwood Tuesday.

The Democrats selected their ticket with the exception of town clerk and highway commissioner.

The latter office was totally contested but the Republican candidate Walter Wilson won by a large majority.

Rural township also elected the Republican candidate for highway commissioner Willis Myers.

Herman Pagels of near Radford visited his parents Mr and Mrs Fred Pagels here Sunday.

Miss Eletha and Clarence Hulner of Shelbyville spent the week-end with home folks.

John Largent was a Tuna visitor Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs. John Dilles and family of near Assumption visited Mr and Mrs Jim Armstrong Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Mose called on Miss Wilma Seigfreid Sunday.

Frank and Walter Rider is visiting a few days with their brother and wife Mr and Mrs Fred Rider.

MONTICELLO SCHOOL TO GIVE OPERETTA

Monticello April 3—An operetta will be given by the South school on Friday April 11 at the opera house at 8 o'clock. Following is the program:

Songs "Hello Everybody"—Third grade. Box of Dolls—Primary.

Song, Hoo Yoo Row"—Fourth grade boys.

Songs "Boo White" "Clink Clink Clink"—Fifth and sixth grades.

Songs My Dolly "Swing Song"—Second grade.

Operetta "Twilight Alley"—Junior High.

The cast of characters follows: Dane Neely Martha Porter Meg Frances Caldwell Jack Wilbur Hawkins Angelina, Miss Miller Lily Bess Maier Meg's seven sisters Mary Alice McClure, Nellie Jones Sarah Catlett Digitian Fern Shull Helen Watts Carroll Foster Katherine Hawkaker Jacks baseball nine Otis Bledsoe, Max Millington Wilford Potter, Kent Clark Harold Chambers James Armsworth Clifford Stickey Billy McCann.

Choruses—Seventh and eighth grades.

Mrs W. A. Doss entertained several neighbors ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs Harry Chapman of Champaign is visiting her mother Mrs Bert Tinsman.

A. E. Zaiser and C. L. Moffitt spent Tuesday in Champaign.

Mrs Charles Hollenbach visited relatives in Dland Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Attorney L. Mansfield was business visitor in Monticello Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs M. J. Williams of Cisco spent Tuesday in Monticello.

Miss Linna Fowler spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Mrs Harry Waite Mrs Claude Morris Mrs Blaine Irwin and Pearl Griffith spent Tuesday in Champaign.

The Pomako class of the Methodist Sunday school gave an April fool party in the church parlors Monday evening.

Mrs Doss Griffith was in Decatur Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. L. A. Nicholas is confined to her home on East Washington street by illness.

GO TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs Chas Schell and daughter left Wednesday for Glendale Cal. where they will make their home. Mr Bell has been in Glendale the past several week.

RUSSO-RUMANIAN CONFERENCE FAILS

Vienna, April 3—The Russo Rumanian conference broke up when Soviet representatives insisted on plebiscite to determine the disposition of Bessarabia awarded to Rumania by the allies.

CLINTON KIWANIANS TALK CITIZENSHIP

Also Urge Interest in General Primary.

Clinton, April 3 — Citizenship of Foreign Born was a matter of discussion at the noonday luncheon of the Kiwanis club Thursday and preparatory plans were instituted to enthuse all voters beginning with the general primary to be held April 18 in order to see that all eligibles fully understand and exercise their rights.

The Kiwanis clubs of that district comprising Illinois and eastern Iowa so it is understood, are leading in a campaign under direction of district governor Daniel Wentworth in that direction and will check up on all citizens who failed to vote in the last election and will urge upon those the importance of voting for properly qualified officials.

Another phase of the citizenship work will be the checking of business firms to ascertain all those of foreign birth who have not taken out necessary citizenship papers after which steps will be taken to encourage such persons to accept the obligation of citizenship in all that the word pertains.

WHITEMAN SELLS

T. F. Whiteman has disposed of his tonsorial parlor 119 East Main street to C. B. Bramm of Carterville Ill, who has assumed charge. Mr Whiteman has been in business at the same location for twenty-four years. He will continue in the same location as an employe of the new proprietor.

ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Clintonia lodge No 984 I. O. O. M. elected officers for the new year at their regular meeting Tuesday night as follows:

Dictator F. J. Foley vice dictator Marion Hayes, prelate, L. V. Zimmerman, treasurer, Amos Bordner, secretary, Fred Lasater, trustee, Harry Gowdy delegate, T. E. Place, alternate, F. A. Platt.

The national convention will be held in New York City during the latter part of July.

COURT NOTES

May Daniels of Clinton has filed suit for divorce from Robert M. Daniels for a hearing in the May term of court.

Administration letters were issued in county court to Carl and Floyd Massey in the estate of George Massey, deceased.

The last will of Martha Callison was admitted to probate Wednesday and letters of administration issued to John Callison of Dewitt.

A marriage license was issued to Luther Stewart and Irene Wilson of Danville at that city Tuesday. The bridegroom gave his residence as Clinton but his name does not appear in the directory.

Y RIFLE RANGE POPULAR

The rifle range at the local Y. M. C. A. is growing rapidly in popularity and while the units here have been organized but a short time they are gaining in ability and are fast fighting their way to the top of the list.

The Clinton "Y" now has the best indoor range of any in this section of the country and the boys have an opportunity to make a strong bid for national honors.

Howard Russells unit of older boys now includes eight signed up members and twelve more may be taken into this unit.

C. Allen LeRoy Moyer, Harry Langellier P. Reed A. Perkins Homer Peesman have qualified for pro marksman.

The girls unit of the Y will sit for their photograph on Saturday afternoon at 1:15. This unit also is growing in popularity and it will not be long until several more will be added to the list.

HOKUS POKUS A SUCCESS

The first presentation of Hokus Pokus, the musical staged in the Clintonia theater under direction of Crang-Bennett Post American Legion, played to a capacity house Wednesday evening. The second will be Thursday night and seats have been entirely sold out for several days for the second performance. The musical is all that was promised and more in the way of costumes and characters. Local talent has worked strenuously for the last few weeks to make the affair the success it has been.

ARREST SPANISH BANK DIRECTORS

Madrid April 3—The president and board of directors of the Banco De Castilla have been ordered under arrest on charges of fraud in connection with the failure of the bank.

TWO WOMEN DIE IN HOSPITAL FIRE

Morgantown N. C. April 3—Two women were killed and a man and woman were badly burned when fire destroyed the north wing of the Broad Oak sanitarium here today.

The dead are a Mrs. Horsford, Union, W. Va., smothered to death in her bed and a Mrs Hamilton, Jacksonville, Fla., burned to death. J. P. Green, Charlotte, N. C., was seriously burned and a Mrs. James, was probably fatally burned.

MUSIC TEACHERS MEET APRIL 7-11

Cincinnati April 3—(AP)—Three thousand music teachers in the public schools of the nation will themselves go to music school here during the annual meeting of the Music Supervisors National Conference April 7-11. Leading authorities on vocal and instrumental music are on the program.

Among the features will be a chorus composed of 300 singing teachers and a symphony orchestra of 70 pieces each member of which is a musical director.

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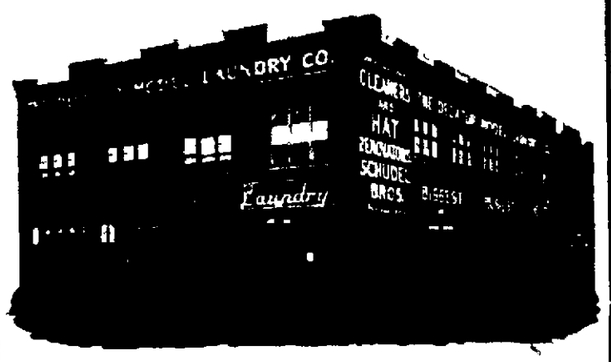

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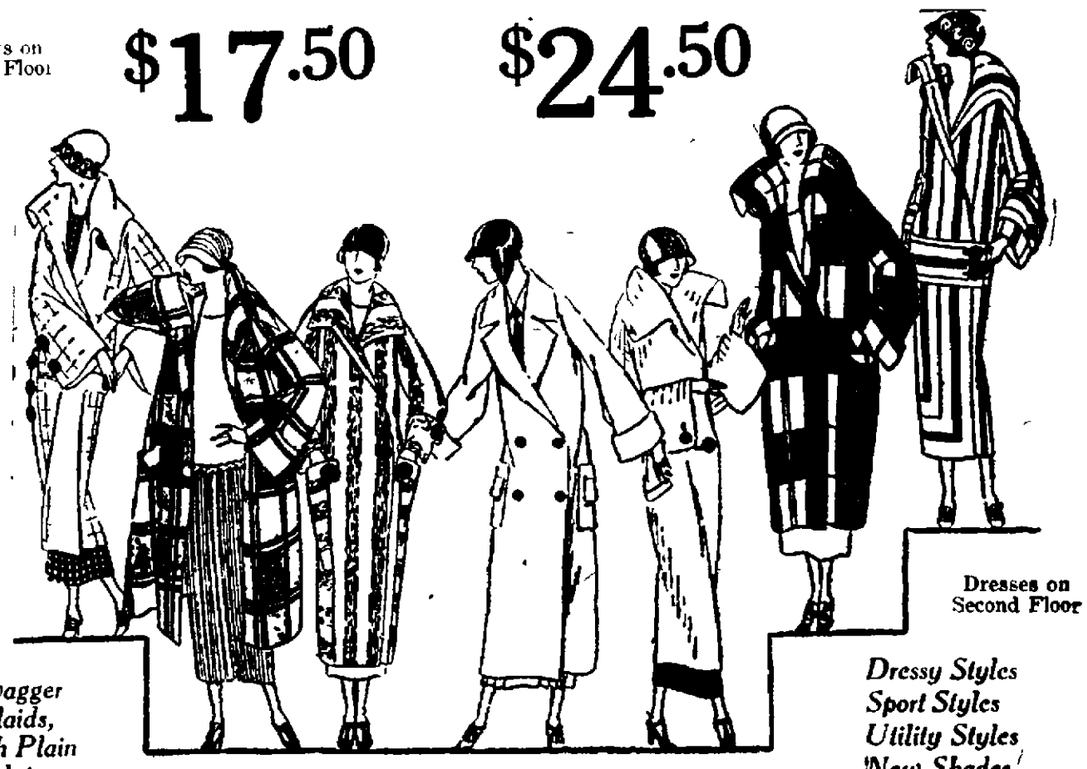

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Cleveland Indians Appear to Have It

John Foster Says Speaker's Team Is Best Trained Of Any Club in the American League.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.

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Lakeland, Fla., April 3—This Speaker's Cleveland Indians are on their way home today, the best trained of all the well-trained clubs in the American League. Lookout for Ohio's representation in the junior circuit. They are more dangerous than they were last year.

It is the comeback of the pitchers, more than anything else that gives pennant hopes to the Indians this year, though the return of George Burns to the Cleveland fold also has had a marked effect on the club. The Clevelands are the best looking American League team the writer has seen, with the exception of the world champion Yankees.

IS YOUNG TEAM.

The writer did not see much of the Yankees in action, but as none of them has aged materially over the winter, it was not necessary to see much of them to judge how they foot up. The Cleveland team isn't appreciably older either, and there are the pitchers and Burns to be added to the credit column.

As for the pitchers: Uhle, that kid who is so big that he spreads shade around him like an oak tree, seems to be in as good form as he was last year. Morton is coming back life has been reported coming back before, but this time, Tris Speaker says it's true. Coveleskie, having disposed of the ailments which disturbed his mental poise last year, is back in form, and Secretary McNicholls is betting he will win as many games as any pitcher in the league. Edwards, the big left hander, is pitching good enough baseball to justify the pains Cleveland has taken with him. Shauts is better than he ever has been and looks as if he were in the winning run at last. If these men come through Cleveland has a pitching staff all right.

BURNS BIG HELP.

Then there is old Sherry Smith who is likely to get at 'em this year and there's Motevier and a kid named Levsen, who are sticking around and getting plenty of work.

George Burns is certainly an improvement at first over either Guisto or Brower. When Burns played for Cleveland in the world series against Brooklyn, his work was about as clean cut as any first baseman ever showed in a similar series. No one exactly fathomed the reason why Cleveland let him go after that exhibition. It may be that Cleveland was all-tired sorry after it happened. For the foment it seemed that the team needed strengthening elsewhere but Burns' loss at first offset any gain the club made otherwise. Anyhow, he's back and every man of the team is glad, including Burns.

DON'T MISS O'NEILL.

An old sour mash man on another major league club said Speaker hasn't any catchers because he let Steve O'Neill go. Hasn't, eh? Myatt and Sewell seem to throw 'em out pretty well, and Al Walters will tear around behind the bat if they will let him. Muddy Ruel got away from New York and developed into one of the best catchers in baseball. If Walters is given a chance it maybe that he will do the same thing. He was right on top of Ruel last year and above Perkins of the Athletics.

Lutzke, third baseman, Burns, first baseman and Stephenson second baseman are the biggest living screen on the infield in baseball. Little Joe Sewell got so mad because the six-foot athletes peeked over his head in fun that he has threatened to buy a pair of high-heeled Texas boots and play in them. Still, Joe has something coming to him, because his batting average is higher than the six-footers'.

HARD ON FENCES.

The outfield of the Cleveland fields hits nothing but fences. And ground with short fences would run up a big lumber bill unless the splintered timbers could be sold for match sticks. When all Cleveland's .300 hitters let go at once down here the battery encamped at Plant City miles away, used to telephone around the country asking where the enemy has last been seen. And now that they are gone, the Lakeland residents have ceased to peer into the heavens for signs of the thunderstorms the Indians' bats made them think were blowing up.

The Yanks and all the rest of them will have to stay in high when the season starts if they want to keep Cleveland out of the next world series.

Exhibition Games.

BRAVES BEAT DODGERS.

At St. Petersburg, Fla.—	R.	H.	E.
Boston (National)	4	7	0
Brooklyn (National)	3	8	0

Batteries—Benton, McNamara, Sherber, and O'Neil; Vance, Henry and De Berry, Taylor.

RED SOX BEAT FORT WORTH.

At Fort Worth, Tex.—	R.	H.	E.
Boston (A.)	6	12	0
Fort Worth (T. L.)	2	6	2

Batteries—Ferguson, Fullerton and O'Neill; Ryan, Cantrell, Reid and Bischoff.

CARDS NOSE OUT MILWAUKEE.

At Palmetto, Fla.—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis (N.)	5	8	4
Milwaukee (A. A.)	4	6	0

Batteries—Sherdel, Haines, H. Bell, Sothoron, Lavan, Holm and Heidergall; Keefe, Shaack, Lingrell and Shinault.

INDIANS MAUL ATLANTA.

At Atlanta, Ga.—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland (American)	11	14	2
Atlanta (Southern)	6	6	1

Batteries—Smith, Coveleskie and L. Sewell, Myatt; Francis, Spates and Brock.

TIGERS WIN BATTEST.

At Greenwood, S. C.—	R.	H.	E.
Toronto (I.)	13	14	3
Detroit (A.)	14	12	5

Batteries—Faulner, Thomas, Glaser and Stanage; Vincent, Johnson, Ludolph and Woodall, Manion.

CUBS WIN AGAIN.

At Phoenix, Ariz.	R.	H.	E.
Chicago (N.)	8	13	2
Pittsburgh (N.)	3	10	1

Jacobs, Keen and O'Farrell; Morrison, Kramer and Schmidt.

SOX HIT WELL.

At Augusta, Ga.—	R.	H.	E.
New York (N.)	5	6	2
Chicago (A.)	4	12	1

Bentley, Barnes, and Snyder; Leverett Lyons and Schalk, Crouse.

BROWNS STILL WIN.

At New Orleans, La.—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis (A.)	5	8	—
New Orleans (S.)	2	9	—

Shocker, Priest and Severeid, Collin Caldera, Dent and King.

HAVE CLOSE GAME.

At Bradentown, Fla.—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis, (N.)	8	8	
Milwaukee (A. A.)	4	6	

Sherdel, Haines, H. Bell, Sothoron and Lavan, Holm and Niehergal.

Indiana Goes South.

Bloomington, Ind., April 3— Coach Lee Mann Wednesday picked seventeen Indiana university diamond men for his southern invasion which starts tomorrow. The squad first plays Cumberland at Lebanon Tenn., and will arrive home Sunday, April 13. Players to be taken on the trip are:

Mooma and Kaiser, catchers; Parker, first base; Druckamiller and E. Irwin second base; Kight and Lorber, shortstops; Hawth and V. Irwin, third base; Miller, left field; Wichterman, center field; Niness, right field, and Woodward, Gause, Hord, Dailey, and Henderson, pitchers.

BOWLING

C. D. A. LEAGUE.

BRUMS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Brumley	88	51	64	203	68
Brooks	109	89	94	292	97
N. Sneller	73	74	78	225	75
H. Sneller	61	87	64	212	71
Total	331	301	300	932	

GRINS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Gribbin	68	67	101	236	79
Wood	80	98	107	285	95
Scholz	100	72	102	274	91
Reynolds	45	64	72	171	57
Total	293	301	382	966	

High score—Miss Brooks, 109; high average, Miss Brooks, 97.

KANT BEAT UM.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Scholz	114	101	84	299	100
Holland	86	118	99	303	101
O'Heren	87	64	109	260	87
Heinz	121	99	127	347	116
Alley	62	79	108	249	83
Total	470	461	527	1458	

WOODPECKERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Doyle	91	92	122	305	102
C. Reid	148	87	146	379	126
McGnartel	101	87	84	272	91
Tighe	76	109	95	280	93
Nolan	128	111	107	346	115
Total	544	484	564	1592	

High score—Miss R. Reid, 148; high average, Miss R. Reid, 126.

STAY WITH EM.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Freeman	93	111	90	294	98
Dailey	99	92	91	283	78
Treiweiler	94	97	133	324	108
Powers	104	101	98	303	101
Blind	119	85	94	298	95
Total	491	498	503	1449	

High score—Mrs. Treiweiler, 133; high average, Mrs. Treiweiler, 108.

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CAMERA CLOCK WILL ELIMINATE ALL DISPUTES AT OLYMPIC GAMES

A camera speed clock that will tend to eliminate any chance for dispute in the Olympic games has been invented by Maurice Branger. It registers the time to a hundredth part of a second and at the same instant takes a photograph of the finish to eliminate any question as to the winner. A thin string stretched across the finish line breaks when touched, registers the time and snaps the photo. The picture shows the clock, a close finish in a horse race, and how accurate the timing apparatus works the camera to catch the finish.

MAKES GOOD USE OF DOG

IRISH MEUSEL.

Sarasota, Fla.—Irish Meusel, star outfielder of the New York Giants, uses his pet dog to retrieve ground balls that get past him in the field. Pride in his native state caused Meusel to name the pedigreed canine "Cal," which is short for California.

RIGNEY ARRIVES IN TIGER CAMP

Improves Tigers Chances to Grab a Pennant.

[By The Associated Press]

The arrival of Emory Rigney, shortstop, at the Tigers' training camp, with the announcement that the lip ailment which threatened to keep him out of the game, has been removed, was pleasantly received by Manager Cobb.

With Rigney back in his old position, Lew Blue holding down the initial sack and Bobby Jones, another veteran, taking care of third base, only one position in the infield appears weak and this is being well handled at present by the veteran Derrill Pratt. Only one newcomer will be in the outfield. He is "Red" Wingo, from Toronto. Heilmann, Cobb and Manush and Fothergill, the latter two alternating in left, will make up the regular outfield.

EASSLER TO CATCH.

Johnny Bassler is scheduled for first string catcher and will have as assistants Larry Woodall and Clyde Manion.

Cobb boasts a highly rated pitching staff, with the acquisition of two promising rookies in Whitehall and Stoner. Bert Cole, a veteran, is expected to come through.

The club is known as one of the hardest hitting aggregations in the league.

PHILLIES ARE HOME.

The Philadelphia Nationals arrive home today, and will prepare themselves at home for their series with their American league rivals Saturday. Speaker had to rush Coveleskie into the fray against Atlanta yesterday when Sherry Smith, the veteran, became wild.

The Boston Red Sox exhibited some heavy artillery against the Fort Worth, Texas, leaguers and won easily. Danny Williams, formerly of the Mobile Southern Association, smashed out a homer.

Maurice Archdeacon, speedy outfielder of the Chicago White Sox, dropped a long fly off George Kelly's bat yesterday and the Giants evened up the series two all.

BABE IS FADING.

Babe Ruth went hitless yesterday while eight other players in the Yank-Rochester game crashed out four baggers at Columbus, Ga., the International leaguers topping the world's champions in the slugging match.

Johnny Kelleher, of the Boston Braves started his mates to a victory over the Dodgers yesterday.

Charles Barnes, 17 years old, the third of the Barnes brothers to step into the majors, who has been trying out with the Braves, will go back to Kansas. The youngster gives promise of developing into a big leaguer.

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SIXTEEN QUINTS LEFT IN TOURNEY

Many Close Battles Staged in Wednesday Play.

Chicago, April 3—Sixteen teams representing state champions or runners up in fifteen states are scheduled to meet in today's third round play in the national interscholastic basketball tournament. Yesterday Illinois lost its last chance for the title when Elgin was defeated by Emporia.

Championship tourney, first round: Pittsfield, Mass., 21; Rock Springs, Wyo., 12.

Fargo, N. D., 32; Lexington, Ky. 21.

Pangultich, Utah, 19; Tampa, Fla. 17.

Windsor, Colo., 27; Warrensburg Mo., 22.

Sioux City, Ia., 29; Butte, Mont., 20.

Two Harbors, Minn., 25; Jackson Mich., 24.

Emporia, Kan., 30; Elgin, Ill., 15.

Yankton, S. D., 19; Chattanooga, 16

Oak Cliff High, Dallas, 35; Homestead, Pa., 30.

Northwestern Detroit, 45; Charleston, S. C., 21.

SECOND ROUND.

Florence, Miss., 27; Wichita, Kan. 21.

East High, Columbus, O., 31; Battle Creek, Mich., 19.

El Reno, Okla., 20; Maitland, Mo. 19.

Madison, S. D., 29; Painted Post, N. Y., 13.

CONSOLATION TOURNAMENT.

Medford, Ore., 22; Boise, Idaho, 22.

Simpson, Birmingham, Ala., 27 Manuel, Albuquerque, N. M., 14.

Central, Spokane, Wash., 16; Lane Chicago, 14.

Superior, Wis., 22; Charlottesville, Va., 19.

The Nut Cracker by Joe Williams

MR. T. COBB.

Augusta, Ga.—Ty Cobb says this will be his last year as a player and the pitchers hope so. Cobb was a star when Niagara was a mill pond, but he's still harder to fool than a widow with a purpose.

Ty was one of the first ball players to experiment with the hazardous

science of thinking. Before his time the average athlete imagined he was getting full power out of his bean when he used it for a dandruff ranch.

Cobb used to startle the buyers by dashing from first to third on an infield fumble. When he wasn't doing this he was going all the way home. He was harder to figure than a cross-eyed woman driver in traffic.

Old-timers used to call Cobb lucky stiff. Said if he ever fell into a manhole he'd land next to a wine barrel. Experts wrote pieces for the papers saying he was mere flash in the skillet.

All of 'em were as right as usual. Cobb was lucky like Edison, Morgan, Chaplin and Miss Joyce. The young man simply has a swell line of groceries and he was always prompt with deliveries.

Cobb has lasted longer than a double-decker toothbrush in a North Carolina hermit's shack. Genius is a sturdy bird. It takes more than a light tap on the Van Dyke to send real talent kicking.

Baseball has never known more daring or colorful baserunner. Cobb

leaped from base to base on his own juice; he could get more miles on a pint of spiked foot oil than anybody that ever played the game.

They tell you base stealing is an art. With the Peach it was a habit, like walking in an upright position and using soap on back of the neck.

Smart crackers used to say: Jennings had a great ball club in Cobb. They could have gone four furlongs farther and said Ban Johnson had a great league in him.

It will be a long time before the game develops a second Cobb, and then it will be just that—a second Cobb. You've seen the first and only.

HEAD COACH

Lawson Robertson, track coach at University of Pennsylvania, has been named head coach of the American Olympic Track and Field Team. Photo taken in Philadelphia after announcement was made.

FUTURE DARK FOR HEAVIES

Gibbons and Dempsey Not Likely to Get Big Bouts.

BY FAIR PLAY.

(Copyright 1924.)

New York, April 3—Startling financial losses have marked the heavyweight situation of late. Tommy Gibbons has lost a June bout with Jack Dempsey and now it looks as though all this talk of a fight between Carpentier and Gibbons was pure bunk. So who will Gibbons fight?

Dempsey has lost the Gibbons June bout too, and a later bout with Firpo—if Luis adheres to his decision to retire from the ring. Jack can recoup partially at least, by working in the movies, but he will have to work harder to earn the money the film magnates pay him than he would to fit himself for combat against St. Paul Tommy and the wild bull.

WILLS' PROSPECTS.

Harry Wills, having stomped dickering with fly-by-nights and placed himself under Tex Rickard's sound management, is likely to pull off two or three good battles this Summer. But of all the heavies he seems to be the only one who is sitting pretty. At that it is a guess how many patrons will pay a lot of money to see the negro bowl over Spalla and Romero-Rojas.

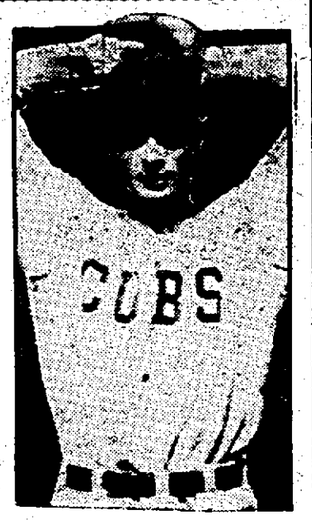
As for Gibbons and Carpentier, the Frenchman saw Tommy fight in Brooklyn while Georges was training for Dempsey and the masterly manner in which the Minnesotan conducted himself gave Descamps' meal ticket an impression that has never vanished. Why should Carpentier meet Gibbons when he is enough of an attraction to get big money for meeting Tunney? As for his other selection, McTigue, the fans are all prepared to laugh that fight off.

Jimmy Daugherty, the Lienerville magnate, says that if Harry Wills wants a real fight his big colored butler George Godfrey is ready and waiting to meet him. You can bet he is. Godfrey is a real menace for any fighter, excluding Dempsey. Wills knows that and will he meet the big fellow? Nossuh!

McGuire at Mobile.

Mobile, Ala., April 3—Gordon McGuire, recruiter out field obtained from the Rockford, Ill., team reported to the Mobile Southern association club and had his first workout here Wednesday. He hit the ball hard in practice.

IRELAN'S PUPIL



GUY BUSH.

According to the scribes who are following the Chicago Cubs around the country on their training trip Guy Bush is the best looking among the young flingers secured by Bill Killefer.

The same Mr. Bush was taken as a raw recruit by Harold Irelan, the Commie pilot last season while managing Greenfield in the Cotton States League and developed into a big league possibility.

It was his first year out in baseball but he gives Irelan credit for his quick jump to the Big Show. Both teacher and pupil are following each other this spring and a number of letters have passed between the Decatur manager and the young Cub prospect.

TUESDAY'S VOTES IN TUNBRIDGE TWP.

Kenney, April 3—At the Tunbridge township election Tuesday the following votes were cast:

Republican —Clerk, Johnson Aughenbaugh, 274; commissioner of highways, E. B. Dement, 297; constable, Glenn Michel, 199; school trustee, W. W. Jackson, 224.

Democratic —Clerk, Elmo Thompson, 224; assessor, J. D. Schoby, 342; commissioner of highways, C. N. Davidson 216; constable, Raymond C. Wenc, 238; school trustee, L. O. Foster, 225.

One hundred and thirty straight Democratic and ninety-two straight Republican tickets were voted.

SCREENED PASS TO BE WATCHED

New Rules Give Officials More Power on It.

BY WALTER CAMP.

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(This is the third of a series of dispatches by Walter Camp, describing the faster brand of football which may be expected in the Fall of 1924 as a result of rule changes made by the football rules committee at its recent meeting in New York.)

New York, April 3.—Second in importance, perhaps, to the abolition of all kicking "tees" from the football field, is the change in the rules of the game designed to eliminate "screening" and passive interference with players attempting to intercept forward passes.

MEAN FEELING.

These rule changes will not be especially noticeable to the spectator, nor will they lessen the use of the forward pass. But they will be a boon to the defensive backfield men, who may breathe a trifle easier in the confidence that he will have a cleaner pathway in which to work. For about the meanest feeling in the world is to be running hard to intercept a pass and feel all the time your eyes are on the ball that you may at any moment come—bump—into some innocent (?) player standing in your path.

This condition will be considerably minimized in the future if the officials are watchful and apply the changed rule in this respect with the stiffness intended by its framers. The field judge is given extra authority here to penalize plays of this sort which may escape the eyes of the umpire.

MORE RUNNING PLAYS.

The new rule providing for advancement of the ball to the three yard line instead of the five in the try-for-point after touchdown may tempt more teams to try a running play, but this probably will not be the general practice, as it still is too risky. Had the committee accepted one of the proposals offered, namely to make the kick count one point as before, but to give two points for a touchdown made from a pass or a run, teams on early touchdowns undoubtedly would have made the effort to make the extra point where they had a good line plunger or a cleverly concealed pass or run play. For the securing of that extra point early in the game would have given them a decided advantage by making it necessary for their opponents also to try for the extra point to even the score in the event they made a touchdown.

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Longer Session For Commie Players Today

Few Stiff Athletes in Camp After First Work at Staley Field Wednesday.

BY HOWARD V. MILLARD.

Staley Field again became the capitol of Decatur Wednesday afternoon when Harold Irelan put his Commie players through their first grind of the local season

While some of the boys have been out for previous drills in their home towns a number of them felt the effects of the work when they arose this morning

Manager Irelan didn't seem to mind about that and ordered the athletes out for a session expected to last from 10 30 o'clock until two or three in the afternoon

A little throwing for the flingers with plenty of batting and running around the imaginary bases were the high spots in the drill Wednesday

FANS ON HAND

While no previous announcement had been made of the outdoor drill a number of fans journeyed out to Staley Field to have their first glimpse of the new men on deck and to greet the vets from last years champs

Irelan Wasem, McCollister, Senior Wells and Sutter all took a hand in tossing over a few for the boys to gallop and Mr Spalding was getting a nicely ride over the turf for several hours The old batting cage was propped up down near the end of the right field foul line as the diimond is in no condition to be used at this time

Irelan Kelliher Rigsby, Wasem Kotzebuck, Ping and McCollister were hitting the ball hard for the first time out Irelan and Kelliher were the only strangers to the fans but they soon opened their eyes with some corking drives to all the fields

GOOD SIZED FLINGERS

While it was almost impossible for the fans to pass judgement on any of the new athletes they were impressed with the size of the flingers signed by Irelan

Franklin Port one of the latest in camp is a fine looking specimen and the southpaw is expected to give some one a merry battle to stay on the local club He said Wells the California hurler showed the carmen of league experience but Senior Hoffman and Sutter also came in for much favorable comment

The pitching staff is the only part of the Commie machine which will be in doubt for some time as the catching department infiner works and outfield don't need any alterations when all of the men signed turn up

PERFECT GUIDE PLAYERS

Other players are expected during the week Harry Brant is due today or Friday while Walsh another shortstop candidate, has wired Manager Irelan that he will report here Sunday soon from his home in Dixon

By Monday the great majority of the men will be on deck and Manager Irelan will no doubt have the grounds in shape so that regular infield work can be started Much of the infield of last year's club is no more and the blue grass has been cut

STOCK ILLINOIS' RIVERS WITH FISH

Springfield April 3 — Game fish the largest proportion of which are the bass are being distributed in Illinois streams rivers and lakes whose conditions are so natural feeding grounds near-bound depth, and water results permit their planting according to State Game and Fish Warden William T Stratton

The fish now being distributed Mr Stratton said are the large type fish for breeding purposes and weigh between two and four pounds and in some cases five pounds Public streams, lakes and country clubs where the public has access to the fishing grounds are the only locations considered by the state division of game and fish More than 100 cars of various types have already been distributed, he added

James W. Montgomery

Republican Candidate for

STATES ATTORNEY

Primary April 8, 1924.

Born and raised in Decatur, age 46, married, four-children in school.

Member of First Baptist Church. Past Master of Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. & A. M. and Past Grand Lecturer. Member of Eastern Star; Grotto; Knights of Pythias; Odd Fellows; Modern Woodmen; Woodmen of the World; Decatur Bar Association; Parent-Teacher's Association and Warren School Fathers' Club. Hold Honorary Card in Coremakers' Branch Iron Molder's Union.

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BAIT — FOR — BUGS

By H. V. Millard

Ernie Calbert was heart broken last night when he learned that the Commies were out swinging at Mr Spalding If there is anything Ernie likes better than batting it is more batting

Verne Blankenship said to be the fastest man in baseball has been purchased by the Bloomers from the Vernon club of the Coast League

We will admit that Verne is sure fast but as Harry Rigsby says "I can't steal first base

Big Bill Tatum the hitting sensation of the Three Eye League in 1923 when Terre Haute won the pennant has been signed by Dan O'Leary for his Flint club Dan ought to know just what kind of a hitter Bill is

Tatum reported in Peoria Tuesday along with the following players Glen Hunsiker of Lansing Mich Rouser Hives of Detroit Fred Egert Paul Shepherd and Verne Billing will Flint in 142 Russell Le Cronnier purchased from Kalamazoo Milton Hodges of Flint and John Talbott of Lafferty Ohio

The Evansville Tribune club is to have a new nick name this season the fans of that city having decided that Pocketeers is a better one than Evis However the scribes about the circuit will probably continue to use the name Evis Pocketeers is too long to bother with Evis Commies Pox Vets Tots Flows All of the names have been short

Joe Dunn has his plans set from now to twelve and then from two to ten to twelve and then from two to ten Dan City of the Mint League is also training in Evansville Red Smith has decided the holding out poor business and will join the team

Police Wednesday staged the first spring football practice in the history of Millikin Wednesday afternoon and had 15 men out He expects to replace and will turn most of the work over to Joe Gill and Buddy Maxwell while he looks for the heavyweight Jim Dunn and Mel Brandt were also out Wednesday

It is said that Millikin faculty has given Lottie Williams permission to schedule a football game with Illinois Wesleyan next year—providing Wesleyan will not play freshmen

In our humble opinion this is about the best bit of gut fodder Millikin faculty could have given the schools opposed to the freshmen rule

Here is Millikin with games scheduled with Illinois College Augustana Eastern Normal Bradley and St Viator all known to be opposed to the freshmen rule If Millikin can only play Wesleyan if the Bloomington school agree to its demands and bar freshmen then certainly Millikin has to ask the other schools to bar freshmen

This Wesleyan and the other schools are not likely to do. Suppose the I I A C schools which are battling Knox and Millikin on the freshmen rule should pass a rule requiring schools in the I I A C to choose between the I I A C and the Mid West What then

Can Millikin afford to throw up its membership in the I I A C when most all the natural rivals are members of this organization? Can Millikin for the sake of the freshmen rule give up athletic contests with the schools that have made athletics pay in the past Is the Millikin athletic treasury in such fine shape that it does not need the sister colleges in Illinois but can travel to Minnesota Wisconsin Iowa and the like as well as bring teams from those schools here

If the situation as it now stands is hard for any one to figure out then we have made a great mistake Some one has said that Millikin doesn't need these schools that won't agree to the freshmen rule Maybe that is the case but only time will answer that

Oh well why worry about the freshman rule when those Commies are in town and starting a drive to give Decatur another good baseball team Perhaps we have written too much about the freshman rule but every line that was written was in an effort to build up Millikin athletics rather than tear them down

August Sepp is going to meet Robert Kummermann of Forrest in the next show of the Regimental Headquarters company It is carded for next Wednesday night The Decatur promoter is making a business trip to Chicago Friday but will be back Saturday to start training for the next bout

Jack Little a local lad who is to Danville by Walt Chaney in the Illinois League for Patterson has joined the Vets If not mistaken Little was given a trial with the Boomers of Decatur several years ago

Here is the way they get excited over a wrestling bout in St Louis

After throwing Lewis into the ropes Londos three times stamped the champions leg and tried to pull him back into the ring crushing a great deal of rumors he has and ending the rebukes of the referee

So heated did the discussion become at the ringside that Billy Sandow manager of Champion Lewis became involved in an altercation with His Honor Mayor Kiel Excited spectators witnessing the controversy (they could not hear it for the great noise) arose to defend the Mayor and several missiles were hurled at Sandow Police jumped up and waved the mob back to its seats

Many old Millikin athletes and Decatur fans who will remember Harlan "Hap" Hart while playing with Bloomington High and Wesleyan will read with regret the notice of his death Wednesday night at Bloomington

Dr Hart was stricken Saturday morning while performing an operation and pneumonia developed Despite the efforts of specialists from Chicago and main Bloomington doctors his life was not spared

Hart was captain of the 1917 Wesleyan team which Millikin defeated in the big game of the tournament at Bradley 27 to 26 Since taking up his practice in Bloomington Dr Hart has acted as trainer for the Methodist athletic teams

Iowa After Coach.

Delaware O April 3 — George Gauthier director of athletics at Ohio Wesleyan university here at the request of athletic officials of the University of Iowa left for Iowa City Wednesday to confer with them tomorrow Howard Jones football coach, recently resigned his position there

Wesleyan to Play Freshmen Athletes

Bloomington, Ill, April 3—Illinois Wesleyan will vote against the passage of a freshman rule in the state college conference, it was decided at a meeting of the athletic board of control in President Davidson's office at the university Wednesday afternoon

The proposition was discussed pro and con, at some length, and considered from every angle, but the vote was practically unanimous against it

Members of the athletic council do not feel that Wesleyan is as yet ready for this measure

Vice-president Wilbert Ferguson and Athletic Director C E Cartwright were chosen to represent Wesleyan at Saturday's meeting at Peoria

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SCHISSLER ACCEPTS OREGON AGGIE POST

Galesburg Ill April 3—Fred J Schissler director of athletics at Lombard college has resigned his position to accept a similar post at the Oregon State Agricultural school at Corvallis Ore Schissler's football team has won the Illinois conference title for three years and his basketball and baseball teams have won championships His successor at Lombard has not been announced

HOBOES FIGHT SHY OF GOTHAM NOW

New York April 3—(AP)—The hobo is coming back to New York city if the reports of the welfare societies of the flop houses on the Bowery and other favorite haunts of the genus bum are to be believed

The Hobo College fraternity an East Side institution for those of the roving nature is called upon to the public but its legitimate clientele has not the funds it used to

Reasons advanced for the growing scarcity of the tramp are that he can no longer succeed in his profession without violating the dictates of his conscience and those of New York employers

Traffic Violations.

Wayne Duckette salesman was fined $15 40 by Justice Dickinson Thursday morning for speeding

Julie Weatherford charged with parking over time in the congested district, was fined $6 15 by Justice Lloyd

To the women voters of Macon County, Illinois:

One of the Women's clubs of this city asked what I would advise in cases of delinquency and dependency, and I said to them: "In the cases of delinquent girls, I would investigate the cause, and if I found any man tearing down the virtue of a good woman or destroying the virtue of a young girl, or causing her to become a delinquent, I would remove the cause by putting that man in jail, irrespective of his wealth, social or political standing; and in the cases of delinquent boys, I would investigate the cause of each delinquency, and then strike hard at that cause, whatever it might be."

This is my policy. If you agree with me, mark an X in the square before my name on Tuesday, April 8, 1924.

James A. Henson

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PANA ELKS LADIES IN EASTER LUNCHEON

Business, Bridge and 500 Are Features.

Pana April 3—The Elks' Ladies' auxiliary met at the club rooms Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock The affair was an Easter luncheon A delicious two-course luncheon was served Following the luncheon the business meeting was held and this was followed by an afternoon of bridge and five hundred The favors and tallies were in the form of candy Easter eggs The hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames Myrtle Breerig O J Austin Hazel Austin, Anna Barnett, Pearl Baldwin Jeanette Baldwin Alice Connors Mary Blair Louis Boehl Hazel Bolton L C Combs Fred Martin Lettie Shoup, Neva Kircher and Miss Harriett Beckennelmer

The new officers of the year were in charge at this meeting They are President, Mrs Clem Laws vice president Mrs Charles Wilson, recording secretary Mrs Martin Seiler corresponding secretary, Mrs Gu Smith treasurer, Mrs Charles Downs

STANDING COMMITTEES

The following have been appointed as the standing committees for the year

Social—Mrs Grace Cass chairman Mesdames Ira Stamp Dan Penwell Frank Downs Barbara Henderson Gladys Preihs Carl Zellman

Visiting—Mrs Teresa McKown chairman Mesdames Emma Kirpatrick Will McFaggart Logan Griffith Grace Coffey

Membership—Mrs Lawrence Torges chairman Mesdames Walter Downs J S Comos, Walter Schneider Nelle Corman

Finance—Mrs Myrtle Breerig chairman Mesdames Fred Martin Lettie Shoup Neva Kircher Hazel Polson

Courtesy—Mrs Mary Schweitzer chairman Mesdames Della Lyons Bessie Pirtle Corene Gilbert Ella White, Pauline Kirkpatrick, Anna Jordan

BREEN FUNERAL FRIDAY

The funeral services for the late James Breen will be held Friday morning at nine o'clock at the St Patrick's church, with Rev. Father J P Moroney officiating at high requiem mass Interment will be made at the Calvary cemetery.

Rev Father William B Whelan left on Wednesday for Springfield to call upon Right Reverend James Griffin, bishop of the Springfield diocese, Roman Catholic church, before proceeding to Alton, Ill where he has been called as assistant rector to the SS Peter and Paul cathedral. A short farewell affair was held at the Community house for Father Whelan Tuesday evening

Mr and Mrs George Dowell of Sheldon, Ill are in this city visiting their son, Dr B F Dowell and family Until six years ago the Dowells were residents of this city and they have many friends here

AIRPLANE CAMPAIGN

A campaign airplane, distributing literature in the interest of Stephen A Day, Republican candidate for attorney general will arrive in this city Friday The plane with two others left Chicago Wednesday for a tour of the state The plane coming here is plane No 3 and comes here from Roodhouse, leaving for Springfield to Chicago

Albert Chatham, former resident of this city and a well-known conductor on the Illinois Central, with a run through Pana on the Springfield division, has retired on a pension after twenty-five years of service. Recently Mr and Mrs Chatham removed to Clinton, where they will make their home in the future

FIVE MILLION HAVE MALARIA IN RUSSIA

Moscow April 3—(AP)—The spread of malaria in Russia noted seriously for the first time a year ago and seemingly an aftermath of the great famine continues According to the federal department of health cases registered during the first ten months of 1923 numbered 4 857 000 and it is seemed certain that the annual total would exceed 5 000 000

This malaria is of the tropical type testing in its effects and apparently came in by way of the Persian frontier The malaria mosquitoes found perfect breeding spots in the backwaters and sloughs of the great southern rivers and in the swampy lands with which some sections of Russia abound

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Famous Orchestra Appears Twice Saturday

Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra.

The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra which gives two concerts in Decatur on April 5th left Minneapolis Monday on a tour which included Chicago, Pittsburgh, New York City, Jacksonville, Florida, Houston, Texas and cities in Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota and Iowa.

This Orchestra on March 10, 11 and 12th played at the famous Winnipeg festival after making its annual winter tour, Arthur J. Gaines associate manager of the orchestra announced recently that all engagements for this season have been completed and that next years tours are already without many vacant dates. Each year the popularity of the orchestra is increasing by leaps and bounds.

A concert given by the Minneapolis Symphony at Hibbing, Minnesota last February marked the formal opening of the Auditorium in the new High School there. This little mining town of 1500 located on the Mesaba Iron Range northwest of Duluth has erected one of the finest and most complete High School buildings in the country. Its cost was $5,000,000. The auditorium has a seating capacity of more than 2,000 has a full size stage capable of handling any production or opera and is equipped with a large pipe organ with all the most modern improvements.

These gloomy forebodings that Henri Verbrugghen the conductor of the Minneapolis Symphony might not be able to step into the shoes of Oberhoffen his predecessor were completely upset when a capacity audience greeted the great Belgian conductor when the Symphony gave its first concert under his direction. Enthusiasm ran rampant. The next program was an equal success. Gaining in momentum, the final concert could have been played to double the capacity of the Auditorium. In fact, so insistent was the demand for seats that the entire program was repeated the following Sunday afternoon at a so-called "Poular" concert. But the skeptics persisted. "Surely a Beethoven Symphony would not attract the masses." To their astonishment, every seat was sold three hours after the box office opened. At the close of the concert, the audience gave Mr. Verbrugghen and Orchestra an ovation that lasted for fifteen minutes. The management was besieged the next day with requests for still another performance in order that hundreds who had been unable to gain admission might hear the master work.

Despite Mr. Verbrugghen's preeminence as a Beethoven conductor he is equally noted for his interpretations of the more modern orchestral works—The compositions of Tschaikowsky and the other Russian masters, and best works of the modern French composers find a frequent place on his programs, and he has few equals as a conductor of the Wagnerian works. His programs are unexampled in freedom from tradition, in keen espousal of every national school and in discriminate championship of the newer music still to be recognized.

The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Verbrugghen is scheduled to appear at the High School auditorium and tickets are now on sale at the Emerson Piano house and the Millikin conservatory.

"WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND"

Replenishes Treasury of Moweaqua Mothers' Club.

Moweaqua, April 3.—On Tuesday night Ribelin's hall held a $100 house to enjoy the three-act comedy, "When a Feller Needs a Friend," directed by Miss Mae Visino, dramatic coach.

The audience was in a gale of laughter from start to finish, and every dull care was forgotten. Each member of the cast seemed particularly well fitted for her or his part and no special mention can be made of anyone.

They were all at ease and were very natural.

Lawrence Gregory is serving as jurymen in Shelbyville.

MATRONS' CLUB.

Mrs. Frank Snell was hostess to the Matrons' club Tuesday. Mrs. Matilda Stine had an article on "King Tut's Tomb," and Mrs. A. D. Kyner read a chapter of "Nancy Goes to Town." The club will have a benefit in the near future for the cemetery fund. Delightful refreshments were served.

Grier and Kendall Gregory of Decatur are visiting in the Richard Gregory home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Light and daughter Jean of Decatur were here Tuesday.

Fred Williams and son, Fred, Jr., are spending the week with Mr. Williams' parents in Sheridan, Ind.

Ware Worsham has returned to South Bend, Ind., after a two weeks' visit with his sister, Mrs. Roy Catherwood.

RICE FUNERAL.

The funeral services for Charles W. Rice were held at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Dawson's chapel in Decatur. R. G. Stine had charge. Rev. John R. Golden officiated. The flowers were in charge of Mrs. S. J. Burkitt, Miss Anna Cheatham of Moweaqua, Miss Winifred Minturn, Miss McMahon ada Miss Cochenuer of Decatur.

The honorary casket-bearers were S. J. Burkitt, M. H. Miller, Ralph Ayars, P. L. Drew, John Myers of Moweaqua and Mr. Thompson of Decatur.

The Masonic lodge of Moweaqua conducted the burial service and the active pall-bearers were from their number.

Among those in attendance from here were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Burkitt, Miss Anne Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Smith, Miss Harriet Smith, Mrs. Richard Tolson, Dr. F. D. Pratz, P. L. Drew, John Myers, Ralph Ayars and quite a number from the Masonic lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora McDaniel entertained with a dinner Thursday evening. The attractively appointed table had spring flowers and place cards. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Will Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Gid Housh and Mr. and Mrs. John Myers.

SADORUS BEGINS REVIVAL MEETING

Sadorus, April 3— Revival meeting began Monday evening at the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Berry will be assisted by a minister from Arthur, Ill.

Mrs. Charles Blaleschki of Danville visited Mrs. Clarence Hall Saturday.

Cecil Coler was a Tolono visitor Saturday.

James Mara spent the week-end at the Henry Hagan home in Frankfort, Ind.

Fred Griswold was much worse on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Rewertts of Decatur returned to her home on Monday evening after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood.

Mrs. Anna Chambers is on the sick list again.

A large crowd turned out to vote at the township election on Tuesday.

William Sewell is in the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago.

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UNIQUE AFFAIRS IN ARCOLA SOCIETY

"April Fool" Dinner and Reception.

Arcola, April 3.—The most unique affair in Arcola social circles in a long time was the April Fool dinner and reception given Tuesday evening to the ladies of the Nonpariel club by their husbands. The usual order of things was reversed and it was the gentlemen who arranged the details of the reception, prepared the dinner, decorated the tables and distributed the place cards and favors.

WOMEN USED CAUTION.

The affair was held at the home of J. B. McCann. The ladies had been instructed not to appear before 6:30 o'clock. As it was "All Fools" day they went with the idea of using due caution and were inclined to be suspicious of everything offered to them from chairs to food. At the front door there was a placard saying that door was temporarily out of fix and directing them to a rear door.

Here there was another card posted which read: "April fool. Go back to the front door." That, however, was the only April fool trick attempted during the evening. What fooled the ladies most was the excellent dinner provided for them and the deft manner in which their husbands performed every little detail of entertaining, an accomplishment which they had hitherto considered exclusively their own.

THE MENU.

Dinner was served promptly, plates being laid for thirty-two persons. The menu included: Fruit cocktail in grapefruit baskets; baked chicken, gravy, and dressing; mashed potatoes; candied sweet potatoes; peas; hot rolls; head lettuce; thousand island dressing; radishes; olives; brick ice cream; angel food cake; coffee.

STUNT SHOW.

After the dinner there was a "stunt show" and the guests were asked to try out different stunts proposed by the gentlemen.

The date happened to be the birth anniversary of Dr. G. H. Damron and the ladies took advantage of it to prefer him a birthday present. It was presented with elaborate ceremony by Mrs. C. V. Heck. The neat package had many wrappings of paper and Dr. Damron labored long before he got to the present which was a Boy Scout handkerchief to which a miniature bottle of perfume was attached.

Mrs. W. G. Eaysinger was chosen to express the appreciation of the ladies for their delightful entertainment and did it in verse, inspired, no doubt, by the amazing ability of the gentlemen as hosts.

TO TENNESSEE.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Munson departed Tuesday for Chattanooga, Tenn., where they will visit their son, Donald. From Chattanooga they expect to go to Cleveland, Miss., where they will be guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. R. D. Lewis. They will be absent for about two weeks.

Mell Crews returned the fore part of the week from a business trip to Cleveland, Miss., where he spent several days looking after farming interests. He says that farming has been progressing under favorable weather conditions there and that corn is being planted.

HOLDS INQUEST.

The inquest to inquire into the death of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bontrager, of Arthur, was held Wednesday afternoon. It was postponed Tuesday when Coroner R. C. Gillogly of Newman got his automobile stuck in the mud between this city and Arthur and burned out a bearing.

The evidence at the inquest showed that Mr. and Mrs. Bontrager have four children, all boys. It was Joseph, the eldest, aged four years and two months, and Lily, aged one year and seven months, who lost their lives. Jonas is three years old and the youngest is a baby. The evidence tallied closely with the story of the tragedy as previously published in The Review.

The verdict of the coroner's jury was accidental death.

DIED IN CHICAGO.

According to a letter received here the fore part of the week, Mrs. G. L. Wicks, a former resident, died at Chicago Friday and preparations were being made for her burial at Cartwright cemetery a few miles west of Tuscola.

In the absence of later information it is surmised that a change was made in the plans and that the body will be kept in a vault at Chicago until such time as the condition of the roads improve so that the trip from Tuscola to Cartwright may be made without so much difficulty as at present.

Mrs. Wicks had been ill for a long time, due to a breakdown caused by age. She was a resident of Arcola for many years, her husband being formerly employed in the First National bank here.

Mrs. Ella Chamblin, a former Arcola resident, now residing at Springfield, writes to friends here that she is just recovering from injuries received four weeks ago when she was run down by an automobile.

Mrs. Chamblin was on her way to the Springfield library. An automobile turning a corner, struck her, inflicting an injury to one foot and she is now only able to get around with the assistance of a cane. The motorist sped away after the accident and has not been identified.

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The Number Is So Limited That We Urge Early Shopping Friday

A hundred coats is all we could get for these selling prices. We urge that all women who are expecting to buy a sports coat this spring make their selections at once—early Friday. The values are so unusual that they will sell rapidly.

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Wool Stocks at Mills Are Abnormally Low

Manufacturers Voice Decided Difference of Opinion As To Wisest Course.

BY J. C. ROSIE
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New York, April 3.—Wool stocks in the mills of the United States today are abnormally low. But manufacturers seem to be making no unusual efforts to replenish them.

A decided difference of opinion exists, as is natural, as to what this policy portends. Makers of woolen goods assert their attitude is due to a determination to avoid speculation in raw wool and to let demand for cloth dictate their wool purchases. Growers, on the other hand, feel that the policy in itself constitutes speculation.

STOCKS DOWN

Stocks of wool at Boston, the leading wool market of the country, are down to approximately 50,000,000 pounds, an unusually low amount. It is estimated that the total supply in the United States including mill stocks amount to 200,000,000 pounds.

The domestic clip this year is estimated by some authorities at 2[illegible]000,000 pounds. This would make available for manufacturers this year about 240,000,000 pounds, without considering imports and exports against a normal consumption of 600,000,000 pounds.

FOLLOW OTHER NATIONS

In spite of the prospect of a short clip, as indicated by those figures, the level of prices in the domestic markets is still far below those of other countries. The activity in the markets abroad also exceeds the trading here. This has led to the shipment abroad of a very considerable amount of foreign wool arriving here in bond which had been bought by American dealers at advantageous prices.

The Australian and South American seasons now are practically over and with the exceptions of the wools which have been shipped to England to be sold at the English auctions American consumers will turn to the domestic wool growers for supplies for some months. This fact already has had some effect on recent sales.

SHEERING STARTS

The power clippers now are ripping through the fleeces of the Arizona sheep and in a short time the Texas woolies will be running around without their winter coverings. The wool clipped so far in the southwest has been shipped largely on consignment and these supplies have been readily absorbed. More than sixty per cent of such wools are estimated to have passed already into manufacturers' hands. Contracting for wools on the sheep's backs also has become slightly more active.

Boston buyers have contracted for 1,000,000 of 1924 spring wools in Sutton and Schleicher counties, Texas, paying an average of about 10c in the grease for eight months clips and 4c for the twelve months' growths. This level is not materially above prices named there earlier this year but the poundage involved is much greater than in former contracts.

SLIGHT INCREASES

Some contracts also have been signed in southern Utah and even as far north as Montana at prices only slightly above the levels of the Boston market when losses from scouring and freight charges are taken into consideration. Nevertheless the growers feel themselves to be in a very strong position. This attitude has been strengthened by the growth of co-operative marketing organizations throughout the wool producing states.

This move it is felt will aid materially in making Portland, Oregon, a much bigger factor in the trade than heretofore. The position of the growers is emphasized by the fact that the number of spring lambs marketed this year probably will show a decided falling off owing to the strong position of wool.

FAIR MOVEMENTS

Woolen goods for their part are moving fairly satisfactorily. The mills are by no means at capacity and the worsted plants are far below that point but the demand for certain classes of goods notably those for women's wear, has been steady and active. The influence exercised by the style for women's suits this spring has been thoroughly apparent.

A further factor in the wool markets is seen in the announcement that the British Australian Wool Realization Association's surplus stocks which have been in process of marketing for nearly four years now have been practically closed out so that the British cloth makers now are dependent largely on the new wools.

COMMODITY NOTES

LUMBER

Chicago, April 3.—Wholesale lumber prices are becoming badly demoralized by lumber producers trying to ship it to New York, Philadelphia and other Atlantic ports. It is estimated 1,000,000 shingles, 10,000,000 lath and [illegible] feet of building timber are [illegible] space.

New Orleans.—New business at Southern [illegible] showed a marked increase during the week ended April 2, production rose 11 per cent, shipments 19 per cent. There were 400,000,000 feet ordered at 141 mills, 370,000,000 feet shipped and 78,500,000 feet produced.

SYRUP

Cincinnati.—Maple sugar now is being quoted here at 70 to 80c a pound in tins, a rise of 40 to 50 cents a pound for their product. There has been a short run of sap this year and prices are higher than in 1923.

OIL

Houston.—The decline in production and increased demand are the factors held responsible for the advance in gasoline, kerosene, $2 per barrel and $1.70 per barrel in crude, announced by the Humble Oil company.

PLUMBERS SUPPLIES

Philadelphia.—Manufacturers of plumbers' supplies have more orders on their books at present than at any time in recent years. Many of them predict a shortage of such materials before the summer building season is over.

FRUIT

Hamburg, Ia.—Shipment of a carload of apples from this town here touched off a big rally of growers to producers' prices of $1.60 to $2 a crate, the highest price in years. Five cars shipped Monday brought a little above $2 a crate in the east and are expected to realize 14 to 16 cents.

Rummage Sale

The Woman's Guild of the St. Johns Episcopal church will have a rummage sale Tuesday and Wednesday, April 8 and 9, in the building at 245 North Water. The sale will be open from 9 o'clock in the morning until 5 in the afternoon.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY CARRIES MORE FARES

Atlanta, April 3.—The Southern Railway last year handled 18,310,017 passengers, according to figures just compiled. This was an increase of 64,118 passengers and the average mileage advanced from 67.7 to 69.9.

BARGES TO SLICE SCHEDULE IN TWO

St. Louis, April 3.—The Mississippi Warrior Barge Line will put a five-day schedule into effect for its Mississippi barges between St. Louis and New Orleans on April 16. This will cut the present schedule in half.

AUSTRALIA BOASTS 176 NEW FACTORIES

Adelaide, (AP)—During 1923, 176 new factories were built and operated in the province of South Australia. The factories employed 7,24 additional hands, the value of the manufactured products being $13,000,000.

POLITICS DISRUPT SPRINGFIELD KLAN

Springfield, Ill., April 3.—Members of Abraham Lincoln Klan No. 1, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Illinois, yesterday replied to Grand Dragon Charles G. Palmer's injunctions suit in the circuit court. They declare that Palmer's suit was not brought in good faith but in furtherance of an effort to use the organization for political purposes in the interest of Governor Small.

Palmer recently secured a temporary injunction against the local klansmen tying up its funds because of its refusal to recognize his authority in banishing Grand Titan Charles Warless of this city, who had jurisdiction over eleven counties in the state.

WARLESS ACTION EXPLAINED

Warless was banished for preferring a charge against Palmer to the effect that the latter was attempting to use the organization to defeat the renomination of Supreme Court Justice Frank K. Dunn and swing the nomination to Judge C. H. Jenkins of this city, director of the state department of public welfare. The effort failed and Jenkins was not a candidate before the judicial convention at which Justice Dunn was renominated without opposition. Warless in an affidavit filed says that the suit filed by Palmer was the result of refusal upon the part of the local klan to support the candidacy of Governor Small for renomination.

Warless charged in replying to Palmer's suit, as it is said he turned over to James H. Ashby the property of the klan which was in his possession of the klan which was in his possession when he was deposed. Ashby, it has been designated as his successor. Ashby in an affidavit declares he believes that agents of Palmer entered rooms in the Odd Fellows' temple in search of records and paraphernalia and changed the lock on the door in the effort to keep possession of the rooms.

ASKS WRIT TO BE DISSOLVED

The petition asks that the temporary injunction be dissolved because Palmer had no legal ground on which to base his cause.

BUSINESS WORLD SHUNS VANDERLIP

New York Financier Will Quit All Boards.

Washington, April 3.—Frank A. Vanderlip retired New York banker announced Wednesday night his intention of resigning from every business board on which he occupies a seat because of the attitude of many of his New York business associates towards the work I am doing in Washington.

This decision was made known when Mr. Vanderlip made public an exchange of letters with J. P. Swenson, president of the Freeport Texas company of New York, in which his resignation as a member of that company's board was requested and given. Recently he resigned upon request as a director of the Continental Can company, of Syracuse, N. Y., because exceptions he as a fellow director had taken to his statement concerning the sale of President Harding's newspaper.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

RATE CUTS WILL SAVE $1,300,000

Philadelphia, April 3.—The general reduction in the rates here for electric current by the Philadelphia Electric company and its subsidiaries is expected to effect a saving to consumers of $1,300,000 a year.

The company will make extensions this year which it is estimated will cost over $10,000,000 and hopes to take advantage of the movement from coal to electricity for heating and cooking.

BROOKLYN BRIDGE HOLDS INTEREST

New York, April 3.—(AP)—Brooklyn is the last of the five earth dignitaries on the East River continuing to hold first place as an object of interest to the thousands of visitors to New York this fall.

The Woolworth tower, fifth avenue department store, the municipal building, the Brooklyn bridge, the Woolworth building, the Metropolitan tower, which in its day was one of the modern wonders of the world.

Brooklyn bridge, one of the structures in question, is noted for the number of visitors who tread the walk from Manhattan to Brooklyn.

ILLINOIS PLACES 8,000,000 FISH

Chicago, April 3.—Eight million white fish were replaced in the waters of Belmont Harbor by the state of Illinois Wednesday. Three million fish were taken from the hatcheries and placed in the harbor two weeks ago.

See Death of Farm Aid Bill

(Continued from Page 1)

tical increase in the price of what he has to sell. Many who are well informed believe that his process of lowering prices for what the farmer has to buy, is already under way and that in the course of time the farmer will have no cause to complain of parity.

DEMOCRATS AFFILIATE

Aside from those who fell out in hope and gave this teaser for opposing the McNary-Haugen bill, the Democrats are going to take the specific ground that the trouble with the wheat farmer is that he is compelled to sell his product at a price determined by world markets around whereas the price he must pay for what he buys is determined by the tariff protected market of the United States.

The Democrats will say that the way to cure the farmers troubles is to take off or greatly reduce the present high protective tariff on what the farmer must buy. This argument will be the ground work for the Democratic position on the tariff in the coming campaign.

FARMER NEEDS HELP

That the farmer deserves not only sympathy but concrete help is admitted by everybody. There is no subject of legislation upon which a greater amount of sincere thought has been put than on this. It is admitted that the farmer has been more or less steadily in distress for three and a half years. It is admitted that the rather pretentious gestures toward helping the farmer which have been made by Washington every few months for the last three years have had only partial success in any case and in most cases no success.

The distress among the wheat farmers is fully understood in Washington. There has been circulated a report of a county in northern Montana showing 40 block squares the farms that have been foreclosed under mortgage. The showing is sensational. It is well known also that the records of bank failures in some of the farming communities of the west are very serious. Already in 1923 there were 104 such failures, all in only seven months of the present fiscal year. There were 400 bank failures.

DIRECT APPROPRIATION

There is a substantial body of thought in Washington which has long believed and still believes that the best way and the only economical sound way for the federal government to help the farmer is by direct appropriation of some million of dollars for relief. It is held that it is better for the government to grant a fixed sum with no strings tied to it and with no expectation of getting it back, than to propriate a large sum with a more or less fictitious understanding that it will be paid back involving the setting up of complicated machinery on a basis that has little business or economic soundness.

It is pointed out that congress the other day made an appropriation for the relief of Germany. Before that it made an appropriation for the Japanese earthquake sufferers and before that for the relief of the Russians suffers from famine. Why, it is asked, should the distressed farm districts of our own west be denied similar aid?

MARY GARDEN MAY CHANGE RELIGION TO FILL MADONNA ROLE

New York, April 3.—Mary Garden, the American prima donna, announced Wednesday that she had contracted with Morris Gest, the impresario, to play the wordless role of the Madonna in the spectacle play "The Miracle" for three months prior to her opening with the Chicago Opera company next November.

She will alternate in the lead role with Lady Diana Manners Cooper who played it in the London production and who in the New York performances has alternated with Princess Nina Mdivani, who in the part of the Madonna and the nun.

Miss Garden, who proclaimed herself a born Scotch Presbyterian, said she was ready to join the Catholic church shortly in order to fulfill a wish that has been present for many years—and to be eligible to play the part of Madonna.

Yes, She Has a Cook

Indianapolis.—A housewife solved the domestic problem. She [illegible] advertisement for her servant girls.

Last time she wanted a girl to assist her in the household duties she inserted this ad in the local paper. "General—Plain cooking, modern house, latest labor-saving devices, daily help, comfortable home, wireless in kitchen."

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Brisk Buying Sustains General List

Advances Prevail In Face of Bear Attacks

Fresh Operations for Rise Broadens Demands—Oils, Shipping, Tobaccos and Chemicals Gaining.

New York, April 3 — Stock prices registered further improvement at the opening of today's market. Added to continued short coverings, fresh buying, well distributed throughout the industrial list, stimulated fractional advances in a large number of stocks. Independent steels shares responded to favorable reports of conditions in the industry.

SEE EARLY ACTION.

Prospects for early action on the Dawes report, combined with a more favorable outlook at Washington, aided the forward movement in the early dealings. Gains of one to two points were recorded by a wide variety of shares, including Dupont, Union Pacific, New York Central and Atlantic Coast line.

A growing demand for railroad issues was reflected in buying of dividend payers. Profit taking developed later in a number of representative industrials forcing General Electric and Studebaker down a point. Foreign exchange opened lower.

BRISK BUYING.

Brisk buying of representative railroad stocks which advanced one to more than three points, sustained the general list despite intermittent bear selling of the motor issues and renewed liquidation of low priced industrials. With fresh operations for the rise in progress, the demand broadened, embracing oil, shipping, tobaccos and chemicals.

United Fruit jumped six points, Sears Roebuck three, Woolworth and Lackawanna three and one-half each. Southern Pacific rose more than a point to new top for the year at 80¾ and Missouri Pacific preferred reached a new high level at 39¾; General Electric yielded two points and United Cigars broke 10 points to a new minimum at 180.

Call money opened at 4½ per cent. The close was irregular.

LAST SALES.

Allied Chemical & Dye	66¾
American Can	105¼
American Car & Foundry	137
American International Corp.	20¾
American Locomotive	72
American Smelting & Ref'g.	61
American Sugar	52⅝
American T. & T.	127¾
American Tobacco	142¾
American Woolen	70
Anaconda Copper	33½
Atchison	109⅞
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	14
Baldwin Locomotive	147½
Baltimore & Ohio	55⅝
Bethlehem Steel	51⅝
California Petroleum	24⅞
Canadian Pacific	146
Central Leather	13⅝
Cerro de Pasco Copper	43⅝
Chandler Motors	61⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	75¼
Chicago & Northwestern	52⅝
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul pfd.	29½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	25
Chile Copper	26⅝
Chino Copper	16¼
Consolidated Gas	92¼
Corn Products	172¾
Cosden Oil	35½
Crucible Steel	56¼
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	61⅝
Erie	26
Famous Players-Lasky	65½
General Asphalt	39
General Electric	210½
General Motors	14½
Great Northern, pfd.	57¼
Gulf States Steel	73
Illinois Central	103
Inspiration Copper	24⅝
International Harvester	54½
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	31
International Paper	58⅝
Invincible Oil	15¼
Kelly-Springfield Tire	17
Kennecott Copper	36¼
Lima Locomotive	61¼
Louisville & Nashville	92½
Mack Truck	89¾
Marland Oil	37⅞
Maxwell Motors B	11⅞
Middle States Oil	4⅞
Missouri, Kan. & Tex. (new)	12
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	39½
New York Central	104⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	19
Norfolk & Western	125⅝
Northern Pacific	53
Pacific Oil	34½
Pan American Petroleum B	45⅞
Pennsylvania	44½
People's Gas	95¼
Producers & Refiners	34¼
Pure Oil	23⅝
Reading	74⅝
Republic Iron & Steel	47⅝
Sears Roebuck	87⅝
Simms Oil	22¼
Southern Pacific	95¾
Southern Railway	34½
Standard Oil of N. J.	32⅞
Studebaker Corporation	45
Texas Company	42
Texas & Pacific	27⅝
Tobacco Products A	86
Transcontinental Oil	5¼
Union Pacific	132⅝
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	76
United States Rubber	51¼
United States Steel	90½
Utah Copper	60¼
Westinghouse Electric	50⅞
Willys-Overland	19⅞

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, April 3—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, $99.7.

First 4s, $99.27 bid.

Second 4s, $99.23.

First 4¼s, $99.26.

Second 4¼s, $99.27.

Third 4¼s, $100.4.

Fourth 4¼s, $99.27.

New 4¼s, $100.20.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, April 3—Foreign exchange easy.

Great Britain demand $4.30 1-16.

Cables $4.30 5-16.

France demand 5.81.

Italy demand 4.36¾.

Belgium demand 4.84.

Germany demand per trillion .22.

Holland 36.95.

Norway 15.61½.

Sweden 26.46.

Denmark 16.45.

Switzerland 17.43.

Spain 13.01.

Greece 1.75.

Poland .00602.

Czecho-Slovakia 2.98.

Argentina 35.25.

Brazil 11.20.

Tokio 42½.

Montreal 97⅞ cents.

Metal Markets.

New York, April 3—COPPER—Easy; electrolytic spot and futures 13⅝c.

TIN—Firm; spot and nearby $52.50; futures $51.50@52.00.

IRON—Steady; unchanged.

LEAD—Steady; spot $8.57@9.00.

ZINC—Firm; East St. Louis spot and futures $6.25@6.30.

ANTIMONY—Spot $10.75.

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, April 3—Bar silver 63½c; Mexican dollars 48½c.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, April 3—Call money easy; high, ruling rate, offered 4½; low, closing bid, last loan 4; time loans steady; call loans against acceptances 4; mixed collateral 4@4½; 60-90, 4-6 months 4½; prime commercial paper 4½@4¾.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, April 3—CLOVER SEED—Cash prime $11.35; October $12.30.

TIMOTHY SEED—Cash $3.80; May $3.85.

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CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

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Chicago, April 3—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
WHEAT—Open.				
May....	102⅝@102⅞	100⅝	101⅞	102⅝	102¼
July....	103⅝@.....	101¼	102⅝	103⅝	103⅝
Sept....	104⅝@.....	103	103⅝	104⅝	104⅝
CORN—					
May....	79 @ 79⅝	78⅝	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞
July....	79⅝@.....	80⅛	79⅛	79⅝	79⅝
Sept....	79½@ 79⅝	80	79⅛	79⅝	79⅛
OATS—					
May....	46⅝@.....	47	46½	46⅝	46⅝
July....	45 @.....	45⅛	44½	44⅝	45
Sept....	41⅛@.....	41⅝	41	41⅛	41
RYE—					
May....	66¼@.....	66⅝	65⅛	66⅛	66⅝
July....	67⅝@.....	68⅛	67⅝	67⅝	68⅛
LARD—					
May....	1077@.....	1087	1077	1087	1077
July....	1100@.....	1110	1100	1110	1100
RIBS—					
May....	.....@.....	.....	.....	962	960
July....	.....@.....	.....	.....	995	990

WHEAT HAS EASY CLOSE

Chicago, April 3.—Fresh strength in grain prices developed today after a little wavering at the start. Corn drew wheat and oats up despite some selling of wheat against buying of corn. Receipts of corn continued exceedingly small, the total arrivals in Chicago today being only thirty-two cars.

Subsequently the market showed signs of being overbought and prices reacted somewhat. The close was easy at a shade to ⅝c net lower, May $1.02⅛@¼.

Corn opening prices which varied from unchanged to ¼c higher, May 79@79⅛c, were followed by a slight sag and then by a moderate general advance.

In the later dealings slowness of eastern demand served to temper bullish enthusiasm to some extent and brought about downturns. The close was unsettled ⅛@½@⅝c net gain May 79⅛.

HELPS RALLY.

Indications that millers were buying a little wheat here helped rally values. After opening ⅛c off to a shade advance, May $1.02⅛@1.02⅜ and July $1.03⅞, the market underwent something of a setback all around and then scored gains.

Oats started unchanged to ¼c higher, May 46⅝, eased a bit and then went above the initial range.

Provisions held steady.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, April 3—	Rcts.	Con't.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	9	13	17	19
Corn	31	9	20	83
Oats	47	19	29	45
Rye	3	..	..	..
Barley	11	..	..	..

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, April 3—WHEAT—1 hard $1.09½; 2 hard $1.06½@1.12.

CORN—3 mixed 86c; 4 mixed 77½@77¾c; 5 mixed 77c; 6 mixed 76@76½c; 3 yellow 80½@82c; 4 yellow 77½@77¾c; 5 yellow 77@77½c; 4 white 77½@78c; 5 white, 77c.

OATS—2 white 49½@50c; 3 white, 47¾@49c; 4 white 46@47¾c.

RYE—2, 67½c.

BARLEY—70@83c.

TIMOTHY—$3.50@8.00.

CLOVER—$16.50@23.50.

LARD—$10.75.

RIBS—10.62.

BELLIES—$10.25.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., April 3—CORN—Receipts, 19 cars; ½@¾c higher; 3 yellow 79½c; 5 yellow 77½c; 3 mixed 79½c; 5 mixed 77½c; sample 58c.

OATS—Receipts, 2 cars; ½c higher; 2 white 47½c.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, April 3—CASH WHEAT—2 hard 99c@$1.20; 2 red $1.07@1.09; May 99c split bid; July 96½c asked.

CORN—2 yellow 78¾@78½c; 2 mixed 76@76½c; May 74½c split asked; July 73⅝c bid; September 73⅝c split asked.

OATS—2 white 49½@50c, 3 white 48½@49c.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, April 3—CASH WHEAT—2 red $1.12@1.15; 3 red $1.11.

CORN—3 white 86c; 3 yellow, 83½c.

OATS—2 white, 51c; 3 white 50½c.

CLOSE WHEAT—May $1.02⅝; July $1.02½.

CORN—May 80½c; July 80½c.

OATS—May 48½c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 3—WHEAT—Receipts 151 cars; cash 1 northern $1.11½@1.16½; 1 dark northern spring, choice to fancy, $1.22½@1.27½; May $1.11½; July $1.12⅝; September $1.11½.

CORN—3 yellow, 72½@73½c.

OATS—3 white, 43⅝@44½c.

FLOUR—Unchanged.

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

Chicago, April 3—Journal of Commerce says: "Improvement in the flour trade reflected in the largest cash wheat sales at Chicago yesterday than on any previous day in many weeks created a more optimistic feeling in the wheat trade. Considerable of the buying yesterday, however, was by previous sellers. The buying in corn yesterday was more aggressive than that in wheat. Many look for wheat and corn prices to come closer together."

COMING EVENTS.

Chicago, April 3—Coming Events says: "On further recovery resistance from the short interest may be expected, suggesting taking profits on trading lines on strong spots. The outlook is promising for the rail group and while we would not advise following up the rallies we believe that such issues as Great Northern, Southern Railway, Erie, Northern Pacific, St. Paul pfd, and B. and O. can safely be accumulated on any drives."

TENANTS MAY DEFY THEIR LANDLORDS

Chicago, April 3—Prospects of a rent strike, in which 100,000 residents of Chicago's northwest side may refuse to vacate their premises May 1, and defy landlords to oust them, looms as a result of a meeting last night.

Speakers told of rent increases from $5 a month for basement rooms to $25 and $30 a month for better rooms.

RAILWAY STRIKE THREATENS GERMANY

London, April 3—A general strike of railwaymen threatens throughout Germany according to an agency despatch from Berlin.

CHICAGO HOGS DOWN DIME

Livestock Prices At Indianapolis 15 Cents Lower to Steady.

Chicago, April 3—HOGS—36,000; uneven; steady to 10c lower than yesterday's average; lights show most decline; bulk good and choice 180 to 325 pound 7.40@7.50, top 7.55; bulk packing sows 6.65@6.75; killing pigs unchanged; bulk heavy 6@6.50; heavy hogs@7.55 mediums 7.30@7.55; light 7.15@7.50; light lights 6@7.35; packing sows smooth 6.70@6.85; rough 6.55; slaughter pigs 4.75@6.50.

SHEEP—9,000; fairly active fat lambs strong to 25c higher; bulk wooled offerings early 16.50@16.65; bulk shorn kind 14.25@14.80; sheep scarce; steady.

CATTLE—11,000; fairly active; steers and heifers strong to 15c higher spots up more; better grades weighty steers showing most advance; early top matured steers 12.35; fifty nine head to shippers at that price; several loads weighty steers 11@11.65; bulk fed steers 8.50@11; cows 5.25@7.25; steers heifers 5.50@8 bolognas 4.90@5.15; vealers uneven; bulk desirable light and medium calves 10; choice handy up to 11 and above.

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, April 3—(Dower & Dower report)—HOGS—Receipts, 5,500; market 5 cents lower; yorkers, medium and good weights, $7.75; pigs, $7.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 350; slow.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000; slow.

CALVES—Receipts, 350.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, April 3—HOGS—Receipts 9,000; 15c lower; heavies $7.60@7.65; light $7.40; top $7.65; pigs $5.00@7.50.

CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000; steers and cows steady; heifers strong; steers $5.00@10.50; cows $1.75@7.25; heifers $6.50@10.00; calves strong; veals $8.00@13.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 150; steady; sheep $6.00@10.75; lambs $13.00@16.00.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., April 3—HOGS—Receipts 2,000; 10c lower; top $7.40; lights $6.85@7.35; mediums $7.25@7.40, heavies $7.25@7.40; heavies $7.25@7.40; packers $6.00@6.50.

CATTLE—Receipts light; unchanged; top on calves $12.00.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, April 3—HOGS—Receipts 11,000; steady; weighty butchers slow; others active; top $7.50; 170 to 250 pound averages $7.05@7.65; packer sows $6.00@6.65.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; steers slow; two loads steady $7.25@7.75; some quarantine Texas steers $6.00@6.65; practical top light yearlings $10.25; others $10.50@11.60; other classes steady; cows $3.00@6.25; canners $2.35@2.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; steady; quality medium to good; choice kinds entirely lacking; few good native lambs $16.00; mediums to good Texas $15.50; clipped $13.50; best ewes $11.00@11.25.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, April 3—CATTLE—Receipts 2,000; killers generally steady; top matured steers $11.65; stockers and feeders scarce; bulk $6.50@7.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,500; active; fully steady; packer and shipper top $7.35.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; lambs strong; top $15.85.

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, April 3—BUTTER—Higher; creamery extras 40c; standards 40c; extra firsts 39@39½c; firsts 38@38½c; seconds, 36½@37c.

EGGS—Higher; receipts, 10,908 cases; firsts, 21½@21½c; ordinary firsts, 20@20½c storage packed extras 23½@23¾c; firsts, 23½@23½c.

POULTRY—Alive unchanged.

POTATOES—Firm; receipts 59 cars; total U. S. shipments 897; Wisconsin sacked round whites $1.30@1.40; sacked Ohios, $1.30; Idaho sacked russets $2.65@2.75.

New York Produce.

New York, April 3—BUTTER—Steady; receipts, 8,450.

EGGS—Firm; receipts 35,363; fresh gathered extra firsts regular packed 24½@25½c.

CHEESE—Irregular; 47,223 pounds.

LIVE—Irregular; fowls, by freight, 25@28c; dressed firm; unchanged.

New York Sugar.

New York, April 3—Raw sugar 6.53 duty paid. Refined unchanged.

New York Cotton.

New York, April 3—COTTON—Futures opened firm; May 29.15; July 28.67; October 24.82@24.86; December 24.30; January 24.05.

COTTON—Futures closed steady; May 29.54@29.58; July 28.45@28.47; October, 24.92@24.97, December 24.45; January 24.42.

SPOT—Steady; middling 29.05.

ASK LABOR'S VOTE FOR HIRAM JOHNSON

Chicago, April 3.—Victor Olander, secretary of the Illinois Federation of Labor, today made public a telegram received by him from leaders of organized labor in California urging his support of Senator Hiram Johnson for the presidential preference in the Republican primary Tuesday.

"Hiram Johnson has been a true friend of labor and always has enjoyed the confidence and support of organized labor in his native state," the telegram said.

PERSHING ARRIVES FROM TRIP ABROAD

New York, April 3—General John J. Pershing arrived today on the George Washington after several months abroad.

COUNTERFEIT DIES FOUND IN WAUKEGAN

Waukegan, Ill., April 3 — Federal officers seeking counterfeiters raided a hotel room here and seized dies for making counterfeit $20 bills. Two men who had occupied the room had fled.

Local Notices

PUBLIC DANCE.

Modern Woodmen Hall, W. Main Thursday evening, April 3, hours 8:30 to 11:30. Adm. 50c. Harvey Cox's 7-piece Novelty Orchestra.

SQUARE DANCE TONIGHT.

Forsyth 9:00-12:00.

HEAR NEW VICTOR RECORD.

"Land of My Sunset Dreams," by Wendell Hale—75 cents. (His own composition) with violin and piano. To hear it—is to buy it.

LINN & SCRUGGS MUSIC DEPT.

BEMENT WOMAN'S CLUB HAS GALA TIME

Closes Year with "All Fools" Party.

Bement, April 3.—The Woman's club closed the club year with an April Fool party Tuesday, April 1, at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Leuschke. The program committee, Mrs. Nellie McPherson, Mrs. Martha Benson and Miss Minnie Fisher, assisted by Miss Kathryn Fisher and the hostess, as twisters, entertained.

Members responded to roll call with an April Fool stunt or joke. The program consisted of music, illustrated and humorous readings, tongue twisters, memory twisters, brain twisters, the Fool's Leap, solo (song without words) and an egg contest.

The decorations were twisted ropes of pink and green crepe paper and sweet peas. Pink and green are the club colors and the color scheme was carried out in the refreshments which were northern and southern cakes, old maid (tea) and twisters (opera sticks). The southern cakes were cornbread frosted and decorated like the white cakes.

TRUSTEE ELECTION.

One school trustee for township 17-3 is to be elected at the grade school building between two and four o'clock Saturday, April 12.

MUMFORD OUTLINES ADVISERS' WORK

Urbana, Ill., April 3.—Dean H. H. Mumford of the College of Agriculture University of Illinois during the course of an all day conference of bankers and college officials to map out a program of agricultural activities of the bankers association, presented the results of a typical day's work of the extension division of the agricultural college.

The 94 farm advisers of the division during the day, had 1,155 office calls, wrote 1,174 letters, distributed 11,440 circulars on various agricultural subjects, wrote 59 articles for publication, made 99 farm visits, held 40 conferences with a total attendance of 429 farmers, 53 meetings with 5,153 attending and 35 demonstrations with 244 present, according to Dean Mumford.

BLIND BOY SCOUTS HONOR ORGANIZER

Chicago, April 3—Three hundred blind Boy Scouts are to pay final homage today at the funeral of their organizer, Dr. J. W. Bolotin, thirty-five, prominent specialist, sightless from birth. Dr. Bolotin developed the troop into one of the best in Chicago.

MANSFIELD L. A. GETS NEW MEMBERS

Mansfield, April 3—The Methodist Episcopal Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. John Leach, Tuesday afternoon, with about sixty present. Five new members joined at this meeting. Elegant refreshments were served.

Mrs. F. A. Rock gave a reading.

Mrs. J. R. Watkins will be hostess at the May meeting.

The stockholders of the Peoples' State Bank held a meeting Tuesday.

Homer Bateman is a patient in the Jacksonville sanitarium.

Wm. Wessler and family of Indianapolis were Sunday guests of Mr. Wessler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wessler, and his mother, Lawrence Wessler and family, Mrs. Wessler remained through the week.

Mrs. Rachael Harland and daughter Miss Clella were guests of friends in Champaign, Saturday and Sunday and attended the Orpheum Saturday evening.

Mrs. Alma Lykens and little daughter will move to Farmer City this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Markland will occupy the Lykens property.

Mrs. Katie Ritchie of Foosland was a guest over Sunday of her cousin, A. G. Vaughan and family.

Keith Warren and Roy Shreve of Champaign came over to vote Tuesday.

Richard House, near Sadorus visited his uncle, Wm. House between trains Monday.

APRIL FOOL PARTY.

The sophomore class of the High school enjoyed an April Fool party in the home of Roscoe Curl Tuesday evening, with about forty present. Each member invited a guest. The teachers, the Misses Hazel Halliday, Helen Sanders and Ruth Michaelman were present. Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Ross Cool was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Mart McIntosh, and her sister, Mrs. Alan Anderson, in Monticello over Sunday.

Miss Helen Sanders a teacher in the High school spent Sunday at home in Champaign.

A baby boy now blesses the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Longstreth since March 27.

Mrs. Hubert Lykins and babe of Urbana and Miss Bettie Freeze of Hamilton, Mont., visited Mrs. G. W. Kenser Tuesday. Miss Freeze will return to the west soon.

Mrs. D. E. Sisk received a message stating the death of her mother in Nokomis Wednesday. Mrs. Sisk left at once for Nokomis.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Miss Madge Myers was hostess to a number of friends, Tuesday evening at a card party, celebrating the victory of the Library tax proposition, which carried by a majority of 63 votes in the election Tuesday.

"JAG DETECTOR" TO EXPOSE DRINKING

"Metabular" Is Scientific Name of New Invention.

BY L. C. OWEN.

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San Francisco, April 3—No longer will it be possible for errant husbands wandering home from a convivial night out to alibi themselves next morning with assertions to friend wife that it had been a perfectly dry evening.

Neither will the autoist who mixes alcohol and gasoline and manipulates his careening juggernaut over hapless pedestrians be able longer to escape punishment behind the well known legal obstacles attendant upon proving anybody "drunk" before a jury.

JAG DETECTOR.

These, together with myriad other evils of John Barleycorn, may shortly become memories of the distant past if the new seemingly very efficient "jag detector" just perfected here by Dr. O. W. Ginsberg, prominent surgeon and X-ray expert comes in general usage.

The scientific name of Dr. Ginsberg's newest invention is the "metabular." It is a scientific detector of alcohol in all its forms and potency in the human anatomy. And if endorsements voiced by a score of other physicians and police officials who have seen it in action are a criterion of its efficiency, it can unerringly detect anything in the human "innards," from near beer to the favorite bootlegger's best product.

HARLAN H. HART OF BLOOMINGTON DIES

Bloomington, Ill., April 3— Harlan Harvey Hart, one of Bloomington's prominent physicians and surgeons passed away last night after a short illness of pneumonia. He was taken ill Saturday morning while performing an operation at the hospital. The attack was so severe that he was forced to retire from this duty and since then he gradually grew weaker until death.

STUDENTS WILL VISIT COOLIDGE

Washington, April 3—President Coolidge will receive students at the White House during the student conference on law observance and citizenship Saturday and Sunday.

DELAND WOMAN AND SON ARE ILL

Deland, April 3.—Mrs. George Crisman is very low with pneumonia and the five-year-old boy also is ill. Mrs. Jennie Johnson, a nurse of Monticello, is caring for them.

Mrs. Warren Jones is very low. Her recovery is very doubtful.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Lee Rising of Minon, N. Y. Mrs. Rising was born in Deland. She was formerly Miss Edna Record. Her father, Robert Record, died recently at Bondville and was buried here. Mrs. Rising was operated on for gallstones, which caused her death.

The Sunday school luncheon will be given at the Methodist church April 17. The committee in charge is Gladys Dresback, Mrs. I. W. Gantz, G. R. and Martha Hursh, Mrs. Esarey and Miss Clara Diers.

The Epworth leaguers will have a bakery sale the Saturday before Easter.

The committee to serve the breakfast Easter at the sunrise prayer meeting is Mrs. R. L. Steed.

Kenneth Porter, Martha Hursh, Doris White, Olive Mansfield and Lyle Swartz.

Mrs. T. E. O'Brien and Carolyn spent Wednesday at Mrs. M. Murphy's.

Mrs. C. Bollenbach of Monticello has been a guest of Mrs. M. Murphy and Leota.

The hearse was taken to Weldon Wednesday for the funeral of Sam Parr, who died Monday.

The body of W. D. Barnett was brought here Tuesday from Clinton for burial. Mrs. J. L. Borton served lunch to the funeral party.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Floyd of Clinton are here to help care for Mrs. G. Crisman and son.

The Methodist ladies worked Wednesday at the parsonage for their bazaar and supper to be given April 12.

SMOKE HOUSE AT WITT BURNS DOWN

Witt, April 3—Mrs. Oliver Whitman attempted to smoke their meat Monday and in some way the smoke house caught fire and as she was alone, it soon got beyond her control. The neighbors soon gathered and saved the house, but the smokehouse burned to the ground, together with their meat and all their canned fruit which was in the cellar under the smokehouse.

Several of the grade pupils are confined to their home suffering with the mumps.

Steve Jasecko of Dowell came Monday for a visit with relatives.

GEORGE BOUREY.

George Bourey, son of Mrs. Venicia Bourey, died at the tuberculosis hospital in Springfield Friday. He was about 24 years old and is survived by his mother and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Bensko and Misses Anna and Helen at home. His father John Bourney and two brothers and one sister preceded him in death. Funeral services were held at St. Barbara Catholic church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment was made in the Witt cemetery.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

In the township election held here Tuesday the Democrats elected everything but the town clerk. Results are as follows:

Supervisor—Edward Woodard, Dem.

Town Clerk—William Betty, Rep.

High Commissioner—Emil Miller, Dem.

Assessor—Hal Wittman, Dem.

School Trustee—John A. Hoehn, Dem.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pottomly and son Johnnie have returned to their residence here this week, after being in Dowell the last winter, where they had employment.

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DEEDS RECORDED

T. A. Powers to W. A. Eagleton, lot 2, block 3, Powers' ninth addition; $450.

C. D. Price to Anna Pease, tract in S. E. quarter, N. W. quarter, 24, 19, 2 east; $1.

C. S. Batchelder to Nellie B. Brown, part of N. E. quarter, 23, 15, 1 east; $6,000.

Thelbert Mendows to H. A. Doyles, lot 45, Elmhurst; $1.

Herman Karlowski to C. N. Gorham, tract in S. W. quarter, S. W. quarter, 17, 16, 3 east; $1.

John Karlowski to C. N. Gorham, tract in S. E. quarter, S. E. quarter, 18, 16, 3, east; $1.

August Berk to C. N. Gorham, tracts in W. half, S. W. quarter, 17 and N. E. quarter, S. E. quarter, 18, 16, 3 east; $1.

H. H. Wise to Rev. M. C. Cockrum, lot 23, Malone-Wise addition; $650.

C. W. Suffern to Ella L. Suffern, lots 1 and 2, block 2, M. Johnson's subdivision; $1.

J. E. Jenkins to W. F. Ferguson, lot 14 and part of lot 13, block 11, Johns' second addition; $900.

T. V. Jones to A. H. Gevatoski, lot 37, Roach & Molleynolds' first addition; $1,200.

J. L. Burtschi to Joseph Ferralnolo, lot 31, block 2, Snell & Lafferty's addition; $1,400.

C. R. Miller to Mary M. Koehler, north 50 feet of lot 13, block 4, Johns' first addition; $1.

R. A. Dillinger to G. E. Harmon, part of lot 10 in E. half, S. W. quarter, 9, 16, 2, east; $132.51.

H. G. Miller to C. A. Harpstrite, lots 32 and 33, block 3, Nelson Park addition; $1.

J. F. Beal to J. A. Parks, lots 8, 9 and 10, block 1, Lockhart's addition to Niantic $6,000.

Charles Curran to A. W. Hendricks, lots 49 and 53, block 5, Elson Heights; $1.

Sophia Wise to A. W. Hendricks, lot 11 and E. half lot 12, block 4, Elson Heights $1.

RECOVER STOLEN CHAMPAIGN GEMS

Bloomington, Ill., April 3—Jewelry and miscellaneous articles, roughly estimated to be worth about $200, believed to have been stolen in Champaign during the past few months, were recovered by the police last night after they had arrested Roy Tate, negro, and booked him on a charge of possessing stolen property.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Personals. 9

NOTICE—Want to hear from responsible parties who are willing to take an intelligent boy almost 7 years old. Fairview 473.

Lost and Found. 10

CUFF LINK—$2.50 gold piece, cuff link, lost. $2.50 reward, Main 264.

GARTERS—Will party who picked up package containing fancy garters, on W. Main St., car, Wed. evening, about 5:30 please call Main 1701.

MINK SCARF—Lost at Interurban station Tuesday evening. Ladies' Mink scarf. Reward. Address Box 721, care Review.

PONGEE—Lost between Day Nursery and Church and William streets on Monroe or E. Main busses, small package containing three yards of pongee. Leave at Day Nursery or call Main 4112.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

BUICK TOURING—Light six, model 27, 45, 1920. With $25 in extra equipment. Must not only see this car to appreciate its value but call and drive it yourself and be convinced. Special price $295. Private owner, 420 E. Prairie. Main 2364.

DODGE—1917 touring, in good running order, good tires. Party leaving city. 819 E. Grand Ave.

DODGE SPECIALS—

DODGE—1924 touring. Also Dodge 1920 touring. With lots of extras. In good order throughout. A real special.

FORDS—Some real bargains in Ford coupes and other late models in leading makes.

GUY C. FERRE USED CARS.
L. O. White, Mgr.
121 N. CHURCH. MAIN 735.

FORD BARGAINS—

FORD SEDAN—1924 model. Slightly used.

FORD TOURING—1924 model; also two 1923 models.

FORD COUPES—Two 1923 models. Many other Ford bargains, in all models.

J. G. STARR & SON.
122 S. FRANKLIN ST. MAIN 919.

FORD ROADSTER—1923 model, driven 2,000 miles. Bargain $250. Call Main 6035 after 6 p. m. or call at 525 S. Monroe.

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AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

WILLYS-KNIGHT TOURING—Model 88 4. Excellent running condition. The motor runs like new. The car is worth twice what we are asking for it. Come and see it. The price will surprise you. Payments if desired. $100 down, balance monthly. W. G. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 234.

FOUR REAL BARGAINS—

CHEVROLET COUPE—Driven 3,500 miles. Many extras. Bought late in fall of 1923. Traded on new 4-passenger Chevrolet coupe.

CHEVROLET TOURING—New October, 1923. Brand new tires. Front and rear bumpers. A real money saving.

OLDSMOBILE—6-cylinder touring car. Carefully driven, only 11,000 miles. Many extras. A used car away above the average.

CHEVROLET F. B. TOURING—1923 model. Thoroughly reconditioned. Cord tires. Extra cord tire (new).

OTHER CARS—Including 1922 Dodge roadster, 1922 Chevrolet sedan, 1922 Chevrolet touring, 1920 Ford roadster, 1920 Ford touring, 1920 Overland 4 touring, 1920 Comet touring, 1918 Buick 4 touring, 1917 Buick 6 touring, 1917 Chevrolet sedan, and 1919 Pan American touring.

TERMS OR TRADE.

WM. FIEDE & SON,
(Chevrolet Dealers).
126 N. FRANKLIN ST. MAIN 1718.
S. E. CORNER CENTRAL PARK.

Auto Accessories. 13

AUTO PARTS—Used Overland parts and others. See us first. Emerson Auto Parts Co. 215 N. Fifth. M. 715.

SPECIAL SALE OF TIRES—36x4½. As good as new. Your choice of tires and tubes, $7.50. All cord tires. We have only 10 of this size. Don't miss this opportunity. East Side Wrecking Yards, 1536 E. William St. Fairview 626.

TIRES—Sacrificed. 30x3, 30x3½, 33. All other sizes, $4.50. Used Tire Store, 233 E. Eldorado. Open 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

ALL PARTS—For Jeffrey car, 1917 model. Call Main 2691.

Motorcycles and Bicycles. 15

MOTORCYCLE—Harley Davidson and sidecar, 1920 model. Good condition. $125 bargain. 1125 Riverside Ave.

Repairing—Service Stations. 16

DEC WELDING CO—Welding and rebuilding auto parts. Reliable quick service. 1215 E. Eldorado. Main 6361.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Services Offered. 18

ELECTRIC WIRING & FIXTURES—Get our prices on new and repair work. 25 years' experience. W. J. Mills. Main 3527. Shop at 1126 North Edward.

RUGS—Made from your old ingrain carpets and carpet rags. Pfister Rug Works, 713 E. Lincoln. Main 6878.

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

LEAVE YOUR DIRT AT MERIDITH'S—OUR MODERN, SCIENTIFIC WAY OF RUG CLEANING REMOVES THE DIRT AND GERMS BUT LEAVES THE RUG UNHARMED. DRY CLEANING—SHAMPOOING. MERIDITH CLEANING CO. 320 E. CERRO GORDO. MAIN 203.

MATTRESSES MADE OVER—We repair, renovate and remake mattresses. Make them look like new. Main 1666. Decatur Mattress Factory, 1025 N. Water.

Dressmaking—Millinery. 21

LADIES' TAILORING—And dressmaking solicited. Competent woman. M. 3508.

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

BEAUTY NOTES—Be beautiful in middle life. Begin to use Mrs. Heller's Pure Face Creams now. Mrs. Heller's Beauty Shop, 136 S. Water. M. 1643.

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

HAULING—Ashes, cinders, coal and moving. Call Fairview 752.

KENNARD TRANSFER—Baggage and moving. Overland hauling a specialty. We'll save you money. Phone Main 663.

KEEP MOVING, PLEASE—

WANT—TRUCKS—DRAYS—For hauling anything, anywhere.

STORAGE—Our storage department affords you a clean and safe place for storing household goods and merchandise.

PACKING — SHIPPING — MOVING—Use Meridith equipment for satisfactory service.

MERIDITH MOVING & STORAGE CO.
320 E. CERRO GORDO ST. MAIN 203

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

HOUSE PAINTING—15c per hour, or will contract. Fifteen years' experience. Call Main 2442.

PAINTING—And paperhanging. First-class work, guaranteed. Wall paper for sale. F. H. Condon. Fairview 2263.

PAINTING—Let us estimate your painting inside or out. Work done reasonably. Best of reference. Fair. 2332.

PAPER CLEANING—Call Armstrong Drug Store. Main 189. D. Williams.

PAPER CLEANING—First-class work. No dirt left on floor. Main 3563.

PAPER CLEANING—Wanted. Call Haines and Eslick, Main 1236. R. P. Phillips.

PAPER CLEANING—Work guaranteed. Reference furnished. Call Main 6045.

PAPER CLEANING WANTED—Call W. O. Siler, Irwin's Drug Store. Main 85.

PAPERHANGING—And cleaning. Also painting. J. E. Fisher. Fair. 502.

PAPERHANGING—And painting of all kinds. 833 East Leafland. Main 2201.

PAPERHANGING—By a practical man. Main 2461. T. A. Baker.

PAPERHANGING—Done reasonably; satisfaction guaranteed; samples furnished. D. M. Smith, Main 2371 or 1063.

WALL PAPER—All new patterns, from 5 cts a roll up. We also do painting and paper hanging. Paints and varnishes at bargain prices. A. C. Brown, 843 N. Water. Main 2056.

Professional Services. 28

PRINCE, DR. A. E.—

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Of Springfield, Ill. Consultation days the first and third Tuesdays at offices of Dr. Tobey (Dentist), 550 Standard Life Bldg., Decatur, Illinois.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER—May be found at 231 Citizens Building. Erma Rau.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Professional Services. 28

RESOLUTIONS ENGROSSED—Cards written, diplomas filled. T. C. Patterson, 2284 N. Edward, Decatur, Ill.

Repairing, Refinishing. 29

FURNITURE REPAIRING—Or any other repairs about your home. Home Repair Shop, 216 E. Division. Fairview 1637.

REPAIRING—Flue repairing, furnace repairing, plaster patching and paper hanging. Call Adam Page. Main 511.

REPAIR WORK—Call us for carpenter repair work and roofing. Main 4878.

ROOFING—And asphalt shingles, put on. Reduced prices. Terms. Main 2310.

VIOLIN REPAIRING—Expert work. Guaranteed. Park St. Furn. Store. Main 679.

Tailoring and Pressing. 30

PRESSING—Suits cleaned and pressed, 75cts re-lined at small cost. All kinds of alterations to make your clothes fit. M. Greenberg's Tailor Shop, 615 N. Water.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female. 32

BEAUTY OPERATOR—Competent, all round operator. Must do marcel waving. Apply Leland Beauty Shop, Springfield, Ill. Phone M. 7254.

GIRL—Experienced girl to work at candy and Confectionery. 125 E. Main.

HOUSEWORK—Middle aged woman wanted. Family of 3. 520 W. Wood.

MAID—Wanted for general housework. No laundry. Excellent wages. Write or phone. Mrs. Dwight M. Moore, Monticello, Ill.

OFFICE GIRL—With typing ability. State salary desired. Address Box 720, care Review.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced, able to get out 50 letters per day and who is familiar with general office work. Address Box 726, care Review.

WOMAN—Middle aged woman for chamber work. Apply Myers Hotel.

Help Wanted—Male. 33

GARDNER—Wanted. Call after 5 o'clock. 834 W. Decatur St.

LICENSED BARBER—Wanted at once. Good job for right party. Call or write. E. S. Shelhorn, 223½ E. Washington St. Canton, Ill.

MAN—Large corporation wants a service man in every town to paste up its signs on storeshow windows. Excellent opportunity for reliable party. No experience necessary. We also have attractive proposition for agents and salesmen. Guarantee Sign Service, 371 W. Superior, Chicago.

MAN—Over 25? for executive position. Willing to take training under U. F. A. No chronic job hunters. Appointment by letter, give age, education, position, telephone number. Box 721, care Review.

MAN—Unusual opportunity for a man in your locality; see full page advertisement, page 141, April American magazine. Phone Main 4111 or write L. M. Ryan, Decatur, Ill.

MEN—

TWO YOUNG MEN TO WORK IN DECATUR AND ADJACENT TERRITORIES. THE SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS WILL BE TRAINED BUT MUST BE SATISFIED WITH $25 TO $35 PER WK. TO START. SEE D. A. LINDQUAD, THIRD FLOOR, LINN & SCRUGGS.

MEN—Wanted. Can use several honest, high class men, ambitious and willing to build up a future. We have an unusual opportunity for men just described, others need not apply. Morlow Sales Company, 208 Hathaway Bldg.

MEN—

WANTED. SIX ROUGH STUFF RUBBERS. ACCUSTOMED TO PASSENGER CAR WORK. APPLY AMERICAN CAR & FOUNDRY CO. ST. CHARLES, MO.

STENOGRAPHER—By local construction job. Address Kirchner, P. O. Box 56.

YOUNG MAN—Neat appearing young man about 18 years old to travel and assist me in special advertising work. Experience unnecessary. Excellent opportunity. See Mr. Rhoder, after 5 p. m. Decatur Hotel.

MAN—Energetic and reliable, wanted for factory representative to handle our business in Decatur district; unusual opportunity, with fortune for right man; experience or capital unnecessary; write fully. Syncro Motors Co. Battle Creek, Mich.

Salesmen and Agents. 33

INCREASE YOUR INCOME—Selling a new mechanical marvel needed by every car owner, plus a service which prevents theft, accident and death. $5,000 a year can be made by any man who will follow our instructions. Investigate without obligation. Modern Auto Signal Co. 115½ E. William St.

AGENTS—Wanted for three fastest selling articles on the market today. Every home a prospect. Must have a car. No experience necessary. They sell themselves. F. L. Morgan & Sons, 813 N. Fourth Ave., Washington, Iowa.

SALESMAN—City Decatur, one who can sell a $900 article. National and local advertising. Box 725, care Review.

SALESMAN—Experienced, for local concern, in and around Decatur. Will be home nights. Those only need apply who can put over the goods. State whether married or single, give age, qualifications, reference, and all particulars, in first letter. Address Box 723, care Review.

Situations Wanted—Female. 36

TYPING—And office work wanted. Experienced. Call Fair. 2473.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

BUSINESS—Good paying business. Can handle with very small capital. Address Box 690, care Review.

CIGAR STAND—For sale, for particulars see Mr. Simpson, Kraft hotel, after 5 p. m. or Sunday.

COAL MINE INTEREST—Parties owning two-fifths interest in an Illinois coal mine desire to dispose of their interests by sale or trade. Their interests worth at least $25,000. This offer will bear strict investigation. Address Box 690, care Review.

GROCERY STORE—Small. Will invoice about $800. Good location. Owner leaving city. 174 S. Broadway.

INVESTMENT WITH SERVICES—We have an opening for a capable business man as president and manager, who will invest from $15,000 to $25,000. Company manufactures, jobs, wholesales and retails four, feeds and kindred articles. Excellent location in Illinois, near St. Louis. High class opening for an ambitious young man with sales ability. Address Box 718, care Review.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

LUNCH ROOM—For sale. Doing good business. Owner leaving city. 250 E. William St.

RESTAURANT—With 5 furnished rooms. Rental $50 a month. $500 cash will handle. Will trade. Main 1417.

SHOE REPAIR SHOP—1st class shop in center part of Decatur, doing good business. Reasonable priced. Owner leaving town. Box 704 care Review.

Money to Loan. 40

CITY PROPERTY—See us for loans on city property. Good mortgages for sale. Schoenle & O'Mara. Phone Main 2206. 123 E. Main street.

DIAMONDS—We loan money on watches, jewelry, diamonds and guns. Wm. Rosenberg, 125 S. Water.

LOANS—

ANY AMOUNT UP TO $300—You may have from one to twenty months for repayment. You pay the interest only for the actual time you keep the money.

NO DELAYS—No embarrassing inquiries, no indorsers.

WE—Serve quickly, quietly and politely.

FIDELITY LOAN CO. 218 N. WATER.
315 CITIZENS BANK BLDG. MAIN 370.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & BOBB. 121 E. PRAIRIE ST.

Wanted to Borrow. 41

$750—Wanted from private party on lot in east part. Would sell at a bargain. Call Main 2108 after 6 p. m.

$600—Wanted for eight months. Will give good chattel mortgage at the rate of 9%. Address Box 710, care Review.

LIVE STOCK

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles. 48

HORSES—No. 1 farm horses. Pair blacks, weight 3,500; kid broke, sound. Gray mare, weight 1,450, sound. 740 W. Decatur St. Fairview 60.

Poultry and Supplies. 49

BABY CHICKS—All varieties, 10 cts. up. Free catalogue. Write or call. Hayes Bros. Hatchery, 2639 N. Marrce, M. 2808.

BABY CHICKS—Reds, Rocks, Orpingtons, Wyandottes, Langshans, $15 to $18 per hundred. Fairfield Hatchery, Belmont, Ill.

BABY CHIX—Ile each and up. 10 standard varieties from pure bred heavy laying Hogan tested flocks. Postpaid to you or sell at hatchery. Catalogue free. Standard Chickeries, 905 E. Wood. M. 1393.

CHIX—Why you should buy Lincoln Poultry farm chicks. Elegant for exhibition. None better as layers. An average egg production 20 eggs each pullet during month of January and February. Single Comb Rhode Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns. 1303 S. Hilton, R. R. 8. John Starwick. Fairview 638.

EGGS—Dark Barred Rock, Thompson strain, $2.25-15. Mrs. F. F. Pierson, Assumption, Ill.

EGGS—From prize winning single comb White Leghorns. Also some Thompson Barred Plymouth Rocks. J. A. Barnes, R. R. 7, Decatur, Ill.

EGGS—White Wyandottes; fertility guaranteed. $6 per 100. Henry Willsing, R. R. 6, County 635, ring three.

HATCHING EGGS—White Leghorns, $1.50 to $5 per setting. Show record back of them. Waid McCarty, 2135 N. Edward. Main 2605.

INCUBATORS—1 65-egg Mandy Lee; 1 85-egg Queen; excellent condition. Reasonable. 804 E. Cleveland. Main 4307.

R. I. RED EGGS—Through-bred. Mrs. Henry Park, County 889, Ring 12.

MERCHANDISE

Barter and Exchange. 51A

DIAMOND RING—Value $50. For electric washer, phonograph or furniture. Will pay difference if any. 838 N. Edward, rear.

Articles For Sale. 51

FLOUR SACKS—Good 98 lb. sacks. Any number, 7c dozen. 503 Central Ave.

HARNESS—4 sets of good farm harness, 2 extra good heavy spring wagons. John Chenoweth, Co. 834-11.

OIL STOVE WICKS—To fit any stove. 20 cts. each or 6 for $1.75. E. Carter Rose, 655 N. Water.

WATER HEATER—Used kerosene heater, to connect to tank in place of gas. $15. A-1 condition. Fairview 1129.

Business and Office Equipment. 52

BURKS' TYPEWRITER CO.—Guarantees all typewriters and service. C. A. Burks, 131½ E. William St. Main 1505.

CASH REGISTER—American, combination cash register, good as new. Cheap for quick sale. County 899, R. 13.

TYPEWRITERS—All standard makes for sale or rent. Decatur Typewriter Service Co. 331 N. Main. M. 1737.

WALL CASES—And two show cases. First-class condition. Gotthelf's Jewelry Store, 119 Merchant St.

Boats and Accessories. 53

BOATS—Thompson "Better Built" boats. $30 up. 3948 W. Decatur. Main 6848.

Building Materials. 54

LUMBER—Some used lumber and other building material cheap. Call at 2064 W. William St.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers. 56

COAL—Riverton lump, $6.25 per ton; egg $5.75. Delivered. Decatur Disposal & Fuel Co. Main 1670.

COAL—Try our Springfield lump coal. More heat, less ash. Geo. B. Church, 806 W. Sawyer. M. 6889.

GOOD COAL—Springfield special big lump, honest weight; prompt service. James J. Shutt, 361 East Division. Main 283.

Household Goods. 59

AUCTION SALE—Friday, April 4, 2 p. m. at 528 N. Water. Leaving city and will sell all my household furniture, consisting of walnut bedroom suite, fumed oak dining room suite, rockers, rugs, davenport, library tables, baby buggy, Vernis Martin bed complete, and many other articles.

BED—Ivory. Good as new. Can be seen at 550 W. Garfield Ave. Delivery free. Main 2806.

BEDROOM SUITE—Complete, white enamel, $15. 1354 E. William, upstairs rear.

BEDROOM SUITE—Queen Anne, 6-pc. solid American walnut, triple mirrors in dressing table, and full vanity dresser. F. 2235.

BEDS—Dressers, kitchen cabinets, sewing machines, baby buggies. Come and see me. I will save you money. Perry's 2nd Hand Store, 620 S. Webster. M. 2347.

BUFFET—72 in. China closet, table and chairs; oak, fine condition. Main 3481.

CHAIRS—3 good sets of genuine leather, slip seat dining chairs. Park St. Furniture Store, 248 N. Park. Main 679.

CHINA DINNER SET—$25.00, 100 piece decorated dinner set of high grade American China this week only at $25.25. Eldorado Furniture Co. Cor. Eldorado and Morgan.

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What Size Ad Do You Wear?

"What size, please?" asks the clerk when you go into a store to buy a new hat.

You tell him the size you wear and he goes to the neatly arranged shelves from which he selects different styles for your approval. You try on a lot of them—and finally come to one which seems to have been made just for you.

Having such a large number of hats in stock is the secret of being able to satisfy everybody.

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It won't take you very long to find an ad just made for you. These alphabetically and numerically arranged offers are even more convenient and systematic than the haberdasher's shelves.

The latest styles in spring opportunities are now on display.

THE REVIEW'S CLASSIFIED ADS
ALWAYS THE SAME—IN SERVICE
ALWAYS DIFFERENT—IN OPPORTUNITY

MERCHANDISE

Household Goods. 59

DRESSER—Golden oak, like new $9.50. 6 dining chairs, good as new, $11. P. O. Greer Furn. Co. 625 N. Water. M. 4449.

DRESSER—Golden oak. Nearly new. Cost $30, now $17.50. Globe Furniture Co. 825 N. Water. M. 3057.

DRESSER—Good oak dresser. Cheap. Main 2108. 350 E. Marietta St.

ELECTRIC CLEANER—"Hamilton Beach" out 6 months. Reasonably priced. Fair. 2417.

GAS STOVE—Library table, rocking chairs, bed springs. 207 W. Wood. Fair. 2431.

KITCHEN CABINET—And buffet. Almost new. 843 W. Green St. Fairview 1857.

RANGE—6-hole reservoir, warming closet, almost new. $35. 515 N. Stone.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES—I have 10 Singer Sewing Machines for sale. These machines have been rebuilt by an expert and are positively guaranteed. Starting Monday morning they will go to the highest bidder. Come in and select your machine. Take the number so that you will be sure to get the machine you bid on. The bids will be opened Saturday, April 5th. If you are the high bidder it doesn't make any difference what your price is you buy the machine. Don't forget—all machines are guaranteed. Taylor Sewing Machine Co. 211 E. Eldorado St.

TABLES—3 good fumed oak dining tables, Chairs, buffet and china closet. Park St. Furn. Store. Main 679.

A COMPLETE OUTFIT—

YOU FOLKS—Who have wanted to go to housekeeping but have been afraid of the cost, should look over our undersdeemed storage furniture and see how well we can fit you out at a cost well within your means. This week we are doing a little better than usual.

A FINE—Round dining table, six chairs, gas stove, bed, spring, new mattress, dresser, two rockers, library table and three rugs, all for $115.

SEVERAL China cabinets, very reasonable.

DAVENPORTS—$10

CASH OR CREDIT.

MERIDITH STORAGE AND FURN. CO
MAIN 203. 320 E. CERRO GORDO ST.

Jewelry and Watches. 60

DIAMOND RING—¾ carat, new basket mounting. Call Main 6847.

Musical Instruments. 62

BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPH—Large size. Will sacrifice or trade for used piano. Terms to a reliable person. A lot of good records included. Original price of Brunswick was $200. Call Main 5004 or 1261 N. Church St.

OUTFIT OF DRUMS—Brand new, cheap. Call Fairview 2082 after 6:30 p. m.

PHONOGRAPH—Kimball Console, a bargain at $85. Kimball Co. 149 E. Main.

PIANO—An upright Adam Schaaf piano, good condition. 130 N. Witt.

PIANO—Chickering, in splendid condition, at $100. Kimball Co. 149 E. Main.

PIANO—Used Kimball piano. A bargain at $95. Kimball Co. 149 E. Main.

PIANO TUNING—AND REPAIRING BY FACTORY EXPERT. LINN & SCRUGGS. MAIN 3934.

PLAYER PIANO—If you are looking for an easy to pump and excellent toned used player piano priced at $320 with 24 rolls, scarf and bench, we have it. See it. Terms. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

Radio Equipment. 62A

AMPLIFIER—A two-stage Atwater-Kent, fitted with adapters and two U. V. 199 tubes. Cost, $26.00 a month ago; will take $18.00, for quick sale. Excellent condition. Call Main 2439.

RADIO PARTS—A lot of radio parts. Cheap. 301 E. Main.

RADIO SET—8 tube, complete with loud speaker. Call Main 6022, between 5 and 9 p. m.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers. 63

A. K. SOY BEAN—$2 a bushel at farm. Ralph W. Ridgley, Casner, Ill.

GRAPEVINES—12 Welche Concord, 2 years $1; 100 one year, $4 (8 Agawam, 3 Moore early, 3 Niagara and 3 Worden $1); 100 asparagus, $1; 25 rhubarb, $1; 100 progressive and 200 Dunlap strawberry plants, $2; 10 early Richmond cherry, $4; 10 Compass, $2.50; 10 Kieffer pears, $3; 10 Elberta peach, $2; (6 Delicious, 6 Grimes Golden, 5 Jonathan, 2 Duchess, and 3 Wealthy, $4), good 4 ft. trees (prepaid); checks accepted; order from this ad; guaranteed to reach you in good condition; wholesale list free. Welch Nursery, Shenandoah, Iowa.

FLOWER LOVERS—Get these rainbow mixture of Gladiolus, 25 kinds, 60 for $1, 100 for $1.50. Giant exhibition bulbs, 80 for $1; 100 for $3. Giant Dahlia, all different, 10 for $1. Giant Cerma, all colors 10 for $1. Giant Pearl Tuberoses, 12 for $1. Wonder Iris all colors, 10 for $1. Hardy Mums, all colors, 10 for $1. Hardy Phlox, 10 for $1, all colors. Everblooming Roses, 2-year-old, 3 for $1. All the finest Peonies, all colors, 3 for $1, post paid. Pay the postman. Do not send money. R. J. Gibbins, Mt. Holly, N. J.

Wearing Apparel. 65

SPORT SUIT—Ladies' blue sport suit, size 36. Main 5705.

Wanted—To Buy 66

VELOCIPEDE—Second hand, wanted. In good condition, for 4-yr.-old child. Address Box 722, care Review.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms With Board. 67

BOARD & ROOM—With private family for 2 young professional men for six months. (No boarding house). Address P. V. H. P. O. Box 56.

ELDORADO ST., W., 268—Table boarders. Also sleeping rooms. Main 3344.

Rooms Without Board. 68

CALHOUN ST., N., 135—Furnished sleeping rooms. Near bus line. Fairview 667.

DECATUR ST., W., 433—Modern furnished front rooms. Private family. Main 2274.

EDWARD ST., N., 520—Front modern room. City heat. Private family. Close in, 3 blocks west of post office.

ELDORADO ST., E., 521—Strictly modern sleeping rooms. Call Main 1328.

ELDORADO ST., W., 149—Modern rooms suitable for 2, reasonable. Fair. 815.

ELDORADO ST., W., 425—Large modern room, desirable for couple employed. M. 6329.

MAIN ST., N.—Nicely furnished modern room, suitable for 2. Fairview 1688.

MAIN ST., S., 449—Nice modern front sleeping room. Cheap. Private entrance.

NORTH ST., W., 226—Modern sleeping room. Gentlemen preferred.

OAKCREST, 446—Large light room, private home connecting bath with shower, 2 clothes closets. Garage. Fair. 628.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 417—Nicely furnished sleeping room. City heat. Fair. 720.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 511—Modern room, city heat. Close in. Main 4769.

WILLIAM ST., W., 216—Large modern furnished room for gentlemen.

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

BROADWAY, S., 324—Modern furnished room, with or without kitchen privileges.

CHURCH ST., N., 401—Furnished l. h. k. rooms. All clean.

DECATUR ST., W., 1234—2 modern front rooms, furnished. On bus line. Main 375.

ELDORADO, E., 1222—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

ELDORADO ST. W. 1149—2 modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. M. 3695.

HENDERSON AVE., 1146—Will share 7-room modern furnished home with small family. Main 6663.

LEAFLAND, W., 623—Two strictly modern unfurnished rooms, adjoining bath. M. 6428.

MAIN ST., N., 1023—3 modern unfurnished rooms, clean and newly papered. Gas, light, water and heat furnished.

MAIN ST., S., 453—Two clean modern furnished rooms. Reasonable. Main 6946.

MAIN ST., W., 262—2 modern light housekeeping rooms, also 1 small sleeping room.

MAIN, W., 354—3 furnished l. h. k. rooms. Adults. Also garage. Main 4035.

MAIN, W., 1052—4 unfurnished light housekeeping rooms downstairs, private bath and garage. Main 1858.

NORTH ST., W., 320—Large modern furnished rooms.

UNION ST., N., 1435—Two modern unfurnished rooms, for l. h. k.

WOOD ST., W.—2 modern, nicely furnished rooms. Rent reasonable. Also large front room, suitable for 2. Fairview 2896.

CLOSE IN—Modern, convenient rooms. Adults, employed, preferred. Main 2945.

ROOMS—Modern; for l. h. k. Call Main 6265 between 7:30 and 10 morning.

WEST PART—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Call Fairview 569.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats. 74

DECATUR ST., W. 1004—3 or 4 well arranged rooms. Private bath. Good location, 3 Blks. to car. Bus at door. Main 6735.

ELDORADO ST., E., 351—Furnished apartment, two rooms, with bath and kitchenette. Call Main 3594.

ELDORADO, W., 530—6-room apartment, $20 per month. Main 381.

MAIN ST., N., 215—Apt. No. 8, 3 rooms and bath. Call Main 1276.

WILLIAM ST., W., 560—New modern 5 and 6-room apartment. Main 3175.

FLAT—Will share 4-room flat. Reasonable. No objection to child. Main 4800.

FLAT—4-room modern flat, with steam heat. Call Main 1884.

OVER HANDY DANDY—Newly papered and painted, modern apartment. Main 801.

Business Places for Rent. 75

ELDORADO E. 231—Store room, $36. Inquire Hall, 453 N. Franklin.

MAIN ST., N., 106—2nd floor, business room, 16x40, for rent. Apply 105 N. Main.

STORE ROOM—Large; suitable for any business. Long lease. Brunswick Hotel.

WATER ST., S., 1391½—24 rooms, formerly known as the Johnson hotel for rent. All repainted and in first-class condition. Apply to Roy R. Wilson at the Hardware Store.

Farms For Rent. 76

40 ACRES—Address Mrs. J. B. Bolton, R. R. No. 1, Decatur, Ill.

Houses For Rent. 77

CHURCH, S., 813—5-room furnished house, part modern. Close in. Reasonable.

ELDORADO, E., 2350—House with lights, $17 per mo. Geo. W. Moore, Windsor, Ill.

MORGAN AND DIVISION STS.—7-room house. Almost modern. Call Main 118. Allen Jones, 1640 N. Water.

PINE ST., N., 336—5-room furnished house, modern. Garage. Main 2529.

UNION ST., N., 756—Modern 8-room house. Owner wants tenant to board 4 people. Main 6187.

WEBSTER ST., S., 855—6-room modern house. Good basement. Possession.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Houses For Rent. 77

NORTH PART—6-room modern house. Good condition. Main 4187.

Suburban For Rent. 79

10 OR 30 ACRES—5-room house, barn, chicken house, ½ acre strawberries, 2,000 raspberries. Hog-tight pasture. Oil road. Zimmerman & Pistorius, Stine Bldg. Main 6984.

For Rent 81A

GARAGE—For rent, at 1745 East Prairie avenue.

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

APARTMENT—Small, furnished, with bath, wanted by refined couple. Telephone John A. Baker, St. Nicholas Hotel.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate. 83

C. L. NOLTE—Fire, tornado and windstorm insurance. List your property for quick sale. 540 Standard Life Bldg. M. 1946.

Houses For Sale. 84

CALHOUN ST., N.—1500 Blk. $300 down, $25 per month buys 4-room partly modern house. Paving paid. Will paint and paper entire house to suit buyer. Price only $2,000. W. E. Gregg, 652 Gushard Bldg. Main 336.

CENTER ST., E., 350—New 5-room bungalow, can finish 3 rooms upstairs, full concrete basement, fireplace, hardwood floors. Built for a home. Call owner. Main 4067.

CENTER ST., W., 670—Five-room modern. Practically new bungalow. Call Main 1024, after 7 p. m.

CHURCH ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow, full lot, east front, garage. House is in excellent condition inside and out. Owner has left and must sell. $750 down, $40 monthly. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

CHURCH ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow, practically new. All in fine repair. Full basement. On full lot. Garage. Good terms. Owner leaving city. Robt. Huston & Co. Over Farmers State Bank. Main 528.

CLINTON, N.—4-room cottage, thoroughly modern, large pantry, clothes closet, bath, concrete basement, paved street, good cistern. Main 4698.

CLINTON ST., N., 1118—New 5-room house. All modern except furnace, large pantry and wardrobe, garage, on street car line. $3,600. Main 2402.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Brick veneer bungalow, 5 rooms, modern, $4,500. W. E. Gregg, 652 Gushard Bldg. Main 336.

DECATUR FISHING CLUB—5-room cottage, furnished with 2 beds, piano, stove, fireplace, porch swings, touring water, screened in porch, all ready to go. Owner will consider good west side property in exchange. Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. M. 3270.

ELDORADO ST., CORNER OF ILLINOIS—10 rooms, modern, hot water heat, first-class condition. One for roomers. Quick sale, $5,000. Terms. Main 4684.

GREENWOOD AVE., 840—Nine-room, all modern house, hot water heat, furnace, lot 50x155. Owner. Call after 6 p. m. or Saturday afternoon or Sunday.

KING ST., E., 253—5 rooms, partly modern. $35. Reference required. M. 280.

LEAFLAND AVE., W.—6-room modern bungalow, 3 bedrooms, fireplace; full lot and basement. Immediate possession. $5,300. $800 down. H. E. Cannon, 113 Merchant St. Main 3214.

MACON ST., W.—Very close in, 8-room all modern house. Situated on a beautiful corner lot, 2-car garage. Frank L. Clark, 419 W. Wood St. Fairview 1049.

MAIN ST., E.—5-room bungalow, 2 yrs. old. $5,700. Main 6011, or 6388.

MAIN ST., E., 1077—$1,220 cash buys a strictly modern 6-room bungalow. Oak floors, good basement. Full lot. Paving paid. Balance $35 per month. Hazenfield & Holt, 116 Merchant St. M. 294.

MAIN ST., N.—A good 7-room partly modern house in good repair. Full lot. Owner non-resident and don't want to bother with it. Small down payment. Very reasonable monthly payments. L. W. Niles. Main 381.

MAIN ST., N.—4-room, part modern bungalow, full basement. Full lot, $2,700, $500 cash and balance like rent. Also 6-room, partly modern cottage and garage, full lot. Bargain at $1,300 cash and $17.50 a month, price $3,000. D. D. Hill & Son. Main 873.

MAIN ST., N.—5-room and breakfast nook, strictly modern. Built-in features. Concrete drive, 2½ years old, $4,500, $1,000 down. Balance monthly. Main 4181.

MAIN ST., N.—7 rooms, lights and water. Newly decorated. Full lot, $500 will handle. Main 381.

MARIETTA, E., 1031—4-room house. Partly modern. On two lots. Near Wabash shops. Price $2,350. Terms.

MORGAN ST., N.—Desirable location with store building on back of lot. A good buy for home or investment. Is now renting for $70 per month. Terms. Main 2575.

MORGAN ST., N., 1811—4-room cottage, modern except tub. Maple floors. Practically new furnace. Composition shingle roof. Cinder drive. House in excellent condition. $4,000. Liberal terms. Hazenfield & Holt, 116 Merchant. Main 294.

NORTH ST., E., 2019—6-room, nearly modern house. Full concrete basement, good furnace. Full lot, $3,200. $600 down, $20 per month. Why pay rent? W. E. Gregg, 652 Gushard Bldg. Main 336.

NORTH ST. E. 2145—New 5 room modern bungalow, oak floors throughout large lot. Will sell on terms. Possession at once. W. F. Pickle, 116 E. Main.

OAKDALE BOULEVARD—7-room modern bungalow, Long living room, fireplace, Hardwood floors and many built-in features. Four large bedrooms. Well ventilated. A cozy breakfast room. Full concrete basement. Full lot with heated garage. Abundance of shrubbery. $7,750. $1,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

PRAIRIE AVE., W.—6-room modern brick bungalow, 5-room modern bungalow, N. Union. 5-room modern bungalow, N. Union. All new. Allen, 156 Merchant St. Main 427.

UNION ST., N.—Close in, $500 down, $35 monthly buys 5-room mod. cottage, $500 down and $20 monthly buys 5-room part mod. on N. Union, close in, $3,200. $650 down, $32 monthly buys 6-room mod. except bath. $3,250. On E. North, near shops. Campbell, M. 3270, 202 Citizens Bldg.

WILLIAM ST., E.—$1,000 down buys a good 6-room cottage, modern, extra large lot. $5,000. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

WOOD, W.—1400 block, 5-room cottage, built-in features in kitchen, enamel finish, concrete basement. Cash. M. 6453.

ANYTHING IN CITY PROPERTY—Or suburban property, cash or terms. J. T. Pierce, 133 E. Prairie. Main 6862.

BUNGALOW—Modern; paved street; full lot; garage, terms. Main 1705.

EAST SIDE—Close to shops, 5 rooms, on 5-lot tract, $3,500, $500 down. F. M. Tarr, Main 6137.

EAST SIDE—$750 down, balance like rent buys a good 6-room house, strictly modern and in first-class shape. Close in on pavement and car line. $4,000.00. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

HOME—Beautiful modern home, hardwood floors, built-in features. Corner lot, garage. Pavement on both sides. Real bargain. Will sell on terms. Call Louise Clark, Fair. 1291.

HOUSE—2-room. Electric lights and concrete walk. Inquire 936 N. Calhoun.

NEAR UNIVERSITY—5 room bungalow, oak floors, ivory and mahogany trim, fireplace; French doors, breakfast nook, dandy attic, garage, full lot. A high class home offered below present cost. B. F. Cloud & Son, 116 Merchant St. Main 3209.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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NORTH SIDE—Bungalow, 5 rooms, on full lot, long living room, oak floors, breakfast nook, built-in cupboards, French doors, very pretty finish and light fixtures. Large porch and concrete drive. $1,050 down, $40 monthly. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

NORTH SIDE—5-room modern bungalow, garage. Full lot. $700 down. Balance as rent. Main 381.

NORTHWEST—New all modern 5-room bungalow, breakfast nook, long living room, hardwood floors, fine basement, a wonderful buy on terms. Main 2375.

NORTHWEST—5 rooms, all modern. Breakfast nook. Other features. Fine basement. Cement walks. Garage. Price $3,100. $1,000 cash. W. G. Wright, 413 Millikin Bldg. Main 984.

NORTHWEST—5 rooms modern. Double floors. Full lot. $4,100. $900 will handle. F. M. Tarr, Main 6137.

NORTHWEST—7 rooms modern. Garage. Corner lot. Room for two more houses. $3,500. Extra good 6-room brick, finished attic. Close in. Cheap. Lots. Farms. Fire Insurance. J. C. Lyons. Main 406.

SEE R. S. BOLIN—About N. Monroe St. bargain, 5 rooms down, 2 up, entirely modern, full lot. Priced right. Also 7 rooms, W. Cerro Gordo about 10 blocks out. Modern except bath tub. 134 E. Prairie Ave. M. 395.

SEVEN ROOMS—Two-story, grate in large living room, oak floors, dining room and sunroom, has oak floors, kit

MORE ROADS OPEN; SUN SHINE HELPS

Can Get to Pana, Atwood and Mattoon.

CHAS. BECKER BUSY

Has Five Outfits Working in Township.

Two days of sunshine and fair weather have worked wonders with Macon county dirt roads and have succeeded in opening up at least two routes out of Decatur

It is now possible to drive on dirt roads without difficulty and the old Ocean to Ocean highway to the east is in fair shape as far as Atwood but is bad, but passable from Atwood to Tuscola The road to Mattoon was reported open early in the week

OVER ST LOUIS BRIDGE

In a telephone conversation with W N Lipe resident highway engineer at Monticello, the Decatur Motor club learned Wednesday evening that the Pana road was passable The route goes over the St Louis bridge road to Elwin and then on the west road from Elwin to Macon and thence over the Macon Meridian trail to Mowequa From Mowequa go a mile and a half west and take the road leading into Assumption The last five miles into Pana is reported the best of the whole without exception

NO TAYLORVILLE ROAD

Reports from Taylorville Wednesday evening and Thursday morning were that the south west road from Decatur to Taylorville was impassable at the Taylorville end and that it was impossible to get from Taylorville to Stonington The Motor club advises against trying to travel any of the east and west roads not reported open in addition

From all sources come reports that the roads are being worked now and with a few more days of sunshine the dirt roads should be in excellent shape than ever

The chief difficulty in the way of the motorist at present is that some of the streams are still impassable

ALL TOWNSHIP OUTFITS BUSY

All of the township equipments are out on the roads today said Charles Becker township highway commissioner Thursday morning

We have five outfits and are working gradually to get the dirt and gravel roads to get them in the best condition possible when the weather and conditions permit

O PAST LOUST

Mr Becker is also making ready for the work of building the road on East Locust street in order to give a good road to the city and locomotive shops

The township attorney is now making the necessary title searches and descriptions for the engineers who probably will begin work by Friday

This is the piece of road which the city will ask the state to construct and which township has agreed with Mr Becker only to go with the street which he should build

TO HIRE STATE

With this road built and the city block built construct the south side addition and the Wabash shops This is expected to help the production as far equipment and material is concerned

[illegible] TWO DAYS SUN

Will Take Long Time For Roads To Settle

Six of spring have made a vast difference in Central Illinois roads and we are now well on our second day Previous to this there has only been one day of spring at a time and then a relapse But today is the fourth in a row and indications that spring is gaining a little

FILLING RUTS

Road crews are busy now where shaping up the roads opening the side ditches filling ruts and slapping up the roadway The result of this work is already quite noticeable But they cannot repair the ravages of three months of bad weather in a day or in a week and they will probably not have the roads full restored in a month

The road from the end of the pavement at the Hills school to Clinton is not impassable since the Decatur less tourist but one can do better than to use it Continuing east from the Hills school to the second intersection a much better route will be found This is really the north end of the Green Switch road Remember you are not promised that it is a good road but it is much better than the other route

BAD IN ATWOOD

The worst road between Decatur and Atwood says this same tenacious traveler is the main street of Atwood a condition which the town will not long permit The Union township road train is doing fine work on the stretch from Atwood to Hammond and from Hammond north indeed the road is all quite good now

After the roads have been resurfaced it will require time for them to become compact and hard They will have to have several settlings and become more or less cut up several times before that condition is reached But it is safe to say that every road working unit in the county and in neighboring counties is busy.

Contagious

Scarlet Fever—Josephine Pa[illegible] West Decatur Mary Cooley 1158 North Union Ada L. Stich, 930 West Macon.

WHAT DID YOU SEE?

F C N saw a man remove his overcoat place it over his arm, step on the scales and weigh himself then turn away well pleased

I P saw a woman at through a meeting of the Woman's Club this week with her hat on backwards.

I P saw a man hold six sacks for another man at the coal yard believing they were his sacks that were being filled When the work was finished he discovered that they belonged to another man

K O heard a woman explaining that she thought she was voting in a primary last Tuesday

What Did YOU See

DECATUR PRODUCTS AT EXPOSITION

A. C. Committee Plans to Arouse Interest.

A committee from the Association of Commerce headed by L P Halladay and composed of H D Warner L L Erbeden and Everett Mueller will meet Saturday to plan to interest Decatur manufacturers and agriculturists from the surrounding territory in the Illinois Products Exposition to be held in Chicago in October

L L Halladay who has been named one of the board of governors for the exposition recently attended a meeting of the board in Chicago and was greatly impressed with the plans that are being made to place on display all of the products that the state has to demonstrate the economy of Illinois in all lines of agriculture and manufacturing development

DECATUR DISPLAY

It is probable that Decatur manufacturing firms will have exhibits of their products on display at the exposition and an effort is to be made to secure a fitting agricultural exhibit for Macon county

GRANT PERMIT TO TAP WATER MAIN

Polar Wave Co to Build Big Ice Factory

The Polar Wave Co the concern which is to build a ice factory, ice warehouse and cold storage station along the Wabash railroad just east of Lincoln street was given permission by the city council Thursday morning to tap the Seventh street water main for securing the water needed by the company

Unless the company secures its own well it will be a consumer of much water from the city mains

Decatur

Study the Sample Ballot

Voters face the job of voting a ballot next Tuesday in the state wide primary that will appall them when they pick it up if they do not study the sample ballots in advance

Judges who served at the township election with its comparatively simple ballot carrying about thirty names report that many voters took three to five minutes to vote

In a day of light voting the delay was not material but with the huge vote that is certain to be out next Tuesday long delays by the individual voter will bring congestion and confusion with the possible shutting out of voters who cannot reach the polls until near closing time

There are 107 names on the Republican primary ballot alone There are nearly as many on the Democratic ballot

The ticket to be voted next Tuesday involves county legislative congressional state and national offices

It is of prime importance—this primary next Tuesday and every voters preference should be registered—but in view of the ridiculous length of the ballot and the great number of names upon it the wise voter will study it in advance

By doing this the voter will be helping the judges and the clerks to hasten the voting which is almost certain to be slow

Candidates for states attorney, for state senator and state representative, for representative in congress, for governor and other state officials, as well as delegates to select the candidates for president of the United States, are to be chosen

There are no primaries that exceed it in importance

The voter should make intelligent and complete selection of his candidates

That ballot, four to five feet in length, should not be permitted to terrorize the voter

He or she should tackle it without fear and trembling, but the job will be much better and much more quickly done if the voter will study a sample ballot before going to the polls

The time element will be important next Tuesday

Voters should speed up the ballot casting

It will be slow enough at best

FLYING SQUADRON TO COME FRIDAY

Will Speak At Central Church of Christ.

The Flying Squadron will be in Decatur at 7:30 Friday evening with speakers in the Central Church of Christ for talks on prohibition subjects

O W STEWART PRESIDENT.

This squadron was organized twelve or fourteen years ago, by Congressman Hobson, who was one of the leaders Ex Governor Hanley of Indiana was president with Oliver W Stewart as vice president Upon the death of Hanley Stewart was made the president and now serves in that capacity

Rev John P Golden who is connected with the Anti-Saloon forces has not been informed as to the names of the speakers for Friday evening, but is assured from the reputation of the organization that they will be well worth hearing

The organization is for the purpose of creating sentiment as much as anything else, and much information on the subject can be obtained at one of the meetings

OPTIMISTS WILL FIND BOYS' JOBS

Judge McCoy Talks on Delinquent Boy.

A luncheon club must have some reason for existence The Optimist club recently organized in Decatur has lost no time in beginning work that will justify the organization Already L W Bold an officer of the club has under way a survey of the manufacturing plants of the city gathering data that will be used in securing employment for boys both during school time and in vacation

The care of delinquent boys and the job of finding work for idle hands to do has been assumed by the club as its work in Decatur

BEAT JUDGE McCOY

Thursday noon Judge McCoy talked to the club on The Problem of the Delinquent Boy No sooner had he closed than Mr Bold reported the work that the club was undertaking and offered him the club's assistance in any way possible to help out the lonesome Decatur boy who needed guidance employment and attention

The five and ten cent stores of any city offer the biggest temptation to children to become delinquent Judge McCoy told the club in its Thursday meeting This is due to the businesses that should be guarded so as not to put temptation in a child's path It is hard for any child to enter such a store and see a array of objects so dear to the child's heart and not arouse a desire in him to take one or two Many of them cannot resist the temptation You would be surprised if I were to tell you how many children of Decatur citizens that I have had to talk to on this score he said

NOT NATURALLY BAD

The ordinary boy is not naturally a delinquent according to the Judge He is just a foolish thoughtless boy who did not stop to think or who has had no parental guidance

Laxity on the part of parents in correcting their children or failure who are disinterested are as the greatest cause for delinquents he pointed out The real delinquents with vicious minds usually are mental defectives

Judge McCoy cited several cases that had come under his attention to show that with proper care and attention the boys and girls could be set straight and given a chance to go straight

ASKS CO OPERATION

He asked the club to cooperate in finding these boys and girls and to assist in finding employment and expressed himself as being surprised and gratified that the club already had such an undertaking under way

Judge McCoy was elected an honorary member of the club at the conclusion of the meeting

STANDARD OIL MEETING HERE

Sales Force for District Meets With Office Men.

More than forty of the sales force and office men of the Decatur district of the Standard Oil Co met in the district meeting held in the palm room of the Orlando hotel Thursday to discuss problems of salesmanship connected with the handling of the products of the company

J J Thompson, general manager and member of the board of directors of the company Amos Ball and J T Cochran assistant general managers all of Chicago talked to the local distributers as did also J H Budde manager of the Decatur district

The meeting lasted all day, the Chicago men leaving at 4 o clock for Peoria

To California

Mrs E P Midkiff of Decatur left Wednesday over the Wabash for Los Angeles Calif where she will meet her husband, who is returning from government service in Honolulu After his arrival they will come to Decatur

James A Snow and family 354 North Third street left Thursday over the Wabash for California to make their home Mr Snow was formerly a machinist for the Cash company

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Calvin Lee Burcham Mt Zion		20
Zelpha Elverda Atkins Decatur		[illegible]
Cecil R Cozad Macon		21
Grace Welge Macon		19
Thomas Parkes Pelkin	Legal	
Mary Cox, Pelkin	Legal	

Sun Shining; Everybody Happy

Windows Washed; Shoppers Come Out.

The first sunny day of the season called a brigade of window washers into action Thursday morning and household activities are started From now on home is a place where its best not to be.

Merchants rubbed their hands in satisfaction and smiled the smile of joy when they witnessed the crowd of shoppers that turned out Wednesday for the first real day of buying

Into the cleaning shops bundles of last summer clothes to be made over are being sent Even the activities of the cleaning company were affected by the change of weather

JULIUS REINHOLD TO STATE FARM

Pleads Guilty to Manufacturing Liquor.

Julius Reinhold pleaded guilty in the county court Thursday forenoon to manufacturing liquor and possessing a still Judge McCoy fined him $200 and costs and sentenced him to the Vandalia State farm for three months

Mr Reinhold who was under bond called at the court room and said he wanted to plead guilty

Have you got your business affairs all straightened up asked Judge McCoy

Why

Because if you plead guilty you are going to be away from home for some time said the judge You had better go home and arrange your affairs so that you won't have them to worry about for awhile

Mr Reinhold thanked the court and then went home and arranged his affairs, returning to the court room at 11 o clock to plead and receive his sentence

NOT OPTIMISTIC OVER WHEAT CROP

Experts Say Large Acreage Will Be Lost.

Farmers and landowners who are not actually on the land are studying the wheat fields with much interest just now to see how the wheat plant is coming through the winter

Reports are not optimistic The fields are many fields which the farmers say will be plowed up and planted to corn or other crops

MAY SURVIVE

It is expected that much of the wheat which is now looked upon as not being worth saving will show signs of survival as the sunny days continued But just at this time even expert farmers say that a large acreage of wheat will be lost

Whether this acreage is greater than usually is at this time of the year is not known

Carpenters Get New Wage Scale

Contractors to Pay $1.15 An Hour.

Differences between union carpenters and union carpenter contractors were ironed out Wednesday when the contractors agreed to pay the scale of $1.15 an hour demanded by the men The journeymen returned to work Thursday The contractors had offered a compromise of $1.00 an hour while the old scale was 90 cents

Painters were still out on strike Thursday but a meeting was said to be scheduled between the men and the bosses for Thursday afternoon

TO MAKE CHANGES IN MOVING ORDER

Some Objections Made To Ordinance As Planned

Changes will be made in the proposed ordinance which is to require moving firms to report to the city police within a given number of hours the moving which they make in the city It was not presented to the city council Thursday because these changes are to be made

One change applies to personal property as described in the ordinance and the other to the phrase which refers to both in and out of the city Mayor Lider objecting to both

It was said that under a strict reading of the ordinance the moving of as much as a handbag would call for a report

NO LICENSE NEEDED

The ordinance if passed in its present form does not require that the person moving shall get a permit but does require the transfer company under penalty of a fine to report from where to where the moving has been made

Mayor Lider called attention to the out of the city clause which he said could hardly be operative as against outside concerns who might move families into Decatur

NEWS FROM THE SICK

Mrs R C Hoendorf 1051 West Wood street who has been in the Decatur and Macon County hospital has been removed to her home much improved

Mrs George Dodson 1076 East Prairie street who was taken to the St Mary's hospital, Saturday is improving

Grass Fire.

The fire department was called to 901 South Water at 11:00 Thursday morning to extinguish a grass fire

NO MORE T. H. & P. MEETINGS HERE

Last One, Conforming to Law, Wednesday.

CHANGE TO CHICAGO

Railroads Prepare for California Traffic.

About the last vestige of the old T H and P railroad is now to be moved from Decatur The T, H and P—does it or did it run through Decatur? Sure enough—the old Terre Haute and Peoria road is now known to us as the Pennsylvania line and prior to this was known as the Vandalia

It has been years since it was known as the T H and P—the take hold and push but still, every year to comply with the laws the meeting of stockholders was formally advertised and held in Decatur, which was supposed to have the honor of having the principal offices of the company In late years it has been nothing but a formality and for the election of directors

MET WEDNESDAY

Wednesday this meeting was held in Decatur in what remains here of the former Peoria division offices of the Pennsylvania line The meeting was presided over by L L Mason an assistant secretary of the Pennsylvania system from Pittsburgh The only other persons present were Nathan Fisher freight agent O J Linn, trainmaster and Ralph Burman chief clerk for Mr Linn all employes of the Pennsylvania at Decatur

These men held proxies for about 24,000 shares out of the 5,000 shares of the T H and P stock. These 24,000 shares belong to the Pennsylvania and of course it was the Pennsylvania proxies they held Fred Baber of Paris Ill and a banker by the name of Stone residing in Peoria were elected directors

And then the blow fell It was voted that in the future all the annual meetings would be held in Chicago as the law no longer required that the meetings be held at the principal offices of the company on the line So the annual meetings will be here no more That was the only business transacted

PREPARE FOR TOURISTS

Expect Biggest Traffic to Coast in History of Railroads

Railroads are preparing for a heavier movement than ever of California tourists this summer and indications also are that the tide of people moving to that state will be larger than ever in seven The rates this year are exactly the same as those of last year but passenger agents of the several transcontinental lines say that the roads have virtually agreed to make a slight increase in rates next year somewhere around $5 or $10 on a round trip ticket An effort was made to increase these rates this year but this was held off by some of the roads refusing although they did agree to a raise next year

The C M and St P has just purchased forty new sleeping cars at a cost of $1,000,000 for this west coast service and has already put some of this in service They have a humidor system of ventilation and automatic control of heat in the cars also a suction system keeping out all dust

SPREADER AT WORK

Wabash Busy Preparing for New Ballast

The foreign spreader being used by the Wabash is preparing parts of its right of way for new ballast is now at work fixing up about ten miles along the Springfield division and was working at Niantic Wednesday It grades about a mile a day

This type of machine is one of the latest and very best improvements in railroad maintenance work With wings on each side and pushed by an engine it cuts and grades embankments for new ballast to be put on It prepares a uniform line for the ballast creates a sub grade and also digs a uniform ditch The machine is to be brought to the Decatur division soon to prepare much right of way on this division for new ballast

Railroad Notes

Superintendent of Motive Power George P Hess of the Wabash was still in meeting at St Louis general offices Thursday to discuss location of the new store department building and other work to be done He went to St Louis Wednesday At the site of the new coach shops Thursday the walls of the old brick store department building were being torn down and the contractors had a cement mixing machine on the grounds ready for work

Wabash division superintendent and number of master mechanics and other mechanical department officials were summoned to St Louis Wednesday night for a meeting Thursday

John N Willys of the Overland company and director in the Wabash railroad is scheduled to pass through early Friday morning on No 18 from St Louis to Chicago in his private Pullman car Chicago

Fred Drischel Wabash freight agent in the 9th and 13th district accompanied by Mrs Drischel arrived in Decatur Thursday morning on No 4 from St Louis after having spent the winter in California They arrived in Litchfield last Friday night and have been visiting relatives there since Drischel was off from work for a long time before leaving here on account of his health He states that his stay in California did not benefit him to any extent and he expects to reenter the Wabash hospital here

William Henderson Wabash dispatcher on the Springfield division visited the Decatur dispatchers office Thursday having ridden over

First Picnic In Fairview Park

Tourist Season Opens At Dreamland.

In Fairview Park the first picnic party of the season got off the street cars with filled baskets and had their lunch at noon Thursday, starting the picnic season off. Flying kites and games of mumble peg also started the summer life of the park

A tourist party camped in Dreamland Park Wednesday night

on the highball No 82 to see what might be done toward speeding up the movement of that train

The movement of perishable freight on the Decatur division of the Wabash was light again Wednesday, but thirty-one cars of meat poultry butter lard eggs and cheese being handled Only two cars of fruit were handled but the vegetable movement was thirty five cars twenty four of which were spinach With the approach of milder weather and the Wabash starting to use its storage coal the coal movement has fallen down and amounted to only eighty-four cars Wednesday The grain movement was still heavy and twenty-eight more cars of corn were received for Decatur industries

Mrs Vivian Neil formerly of Decatur and a wife of D F Neil, Pennsylvania line engineer at Decatur committed suicide in Springfield Wednesday by drinking acid Her husband who is still carried on the roll of the Pennsylvania at Decatur has been a patient in the state hospital at Jacksonville for the last two years and Mrs Neil had removed from here to that city and had become a nurse there to be near her husband Recently she had become very nervous and ill She was visiting at the home of a friend in Springfield when she drank the acid Neil entered the Pennsylvania service at Decatur in 1909 and was promoted to engineer in 1916 He and his wife moved here from Taylorville

BOARD OPPOSES BLANKET FEE

J. M. U. Student Project Fails to Pass.

Although the student council at James Millikin university sponsored the establishment of a blanket fee for the local college brought the matter before the student body in class meetings where it was thoroughly explained and approved by all classes by vote and had it discussed in faculty meeting when the council presented the proposition to the board of managers it failed to pass

NOT TAKE RESPONSIBILITY

The board according to one who attend the meeting is opposed to the administration to assume responsibility for the collection of any fees or dues for the general student enterprises Let this it is inferred that the board favors the plan to be wholly a student enterprise with an official sanction for the collection from the office of the J M U of any fees If the general student body agrees however to elect a treasurer in itself for the collection of such a fee the action is understood to be O K by those at the head The university would not force the collection of any proposed blanket fee

LIKE COMMUNITY CHEST

The blanket fee proposition as presented by the student council with a view of cutting expenses to a minimum for the the students by combining several fees in one and have a certain allotment to each organization involved such as athletics dues Decatur Mill dues and others is much like Decatur Community Chest plan With such a scheme the fees would be paid in a lump sum at the beginning of the semester and the cost to the individual for each portion would be lessened greatly A vote was taken in each class to determine how the students felt about the fee and in some of the classes the vote was unanimously in favor of its establishment at J M U

Just what action will be taken by the student council or the faculty body in the future is not known at the present time

DISPOSAL PLANT OPENING DELAYED

High Water and Rain Prevent Finishing of Many Details

Delays at the sewage disposal because of the unusually late spring and continued rain and snow have resulted in the beginning of operation being postponed far beyond the time expected when the job was so nearly completed last fall

Many little details have been kept unfinished by high water and continual rain but it is expected that this will be overcome so that actual operation may be started soon

DECATUR MEN TO NATIONAL C. OF C.

Will Be Held In Cleveland Nov 6, 7 and 8.

Directors of the Association of Commerce Monday night will discuss attendance of representatives of the Decatur organization at the twelfth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States to be held in Cleveland May 6 7 and 8

ROBERT MULLER TO ATTEND

Robert Mueller will be one from Decatur to attend, and it is expected that on account of the nearness of the convention to Decatur, a number of other Decatur men will make the trip

The program for the meeting will center around the subjects Business and Agriculture "European Road Justments" and "The Responsibility and Integrity of Business"

SCRAPS OF NEWS

PIANIST FOR MINSTREL

Mrs Grace Yeagle Barnes was the pianist at the Moose Minstrel show which was given Wednesday night in the high school auditorium She will also be pianist for the show Thursday night

LAKE LEVEL

The lake level at noon Thursday was 611.6 as compared to 611.775 at the same hour Wednesday The lake has apparently reached the crest of the rise and is going down rapidly As a consequence the water which has been badly boiled during the recent rains is clearing perceptibly.

BIRD TREE CLUB

The Bird and Tree club will hold its regular meeting in the Betzer library at the Y W C A at 7:00, Friday evening A special program has been arranged for the evening, and all persons desiring to become members of the organization are invited to be present The membership totals a little more than 120 just now

W P C DINNER

W P C will serve a public dinner Friday noon in the G A R hall The women will quilt during the day

BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings for the month ending Thursday are $1,268,746.91 For the same time last week they were $1,144,825.41 For the same week last year they were $1,223,486.41

LEASE FILLING STATIONS

The Independent Oil company on West Harrison avenue owned by W W Miller and George Sharp has leased the three filling stations operated on Dick Elliott These are North Main and Packard West Wood and Oakland North Water and Central avenue This gives the Independent company ten of the filling stations in the city or more than any other one company in the city

NO GOLF PLAYING

Mayor Lider stated Thursday that there would be no golf playing on the course at Nelson park until after May 1 in order that the grass may have a good chance to grow

THREE PERMITS FOR LAKE BUILDINGS

High Waves Do No Damage to Shores.

Already there is a stirring of the building fever along the lake said Jos Haggard sanitary district officer Thursday He has issued three permits already this spring for building on the lake shore and he says that a number of other persons have talked with him about permits for the homes which they expect to build there

The high wind of last week when the lake waves were very high did no damage to the shore or the bridge approaches and all connected with the life of the water company are gratified that everything has passed through the winter so successfully

FLOATING NICKEL

He attributes the floating nickel said Mr Haggard in speaking of the effects of the wave action of the winter or rather high water on the shores of the lake

The boat landings in some places have been knocked about by the ice and the high water but in general they are in excellent condition

The very high wind of last week threw water in some places beyond approaches but the damage was surprisingly small

MRS. MARY FULLER DIES IN VIRGINIA

Was Ninety Nine Years Old And Spent Entire Life Here

Mrs Mary Stadden Fuller widow of Charles H Fuller died Sunday March 30 in the home of her daughter Mrs Fannie J Young in Warrenton Va She was ninety nine years and three months of age Mr and Mrs Fuller are identified with the early life of Decatur having settled here in 1830 and lived at 3 1 North Edward street They were prominent socially and widely known in this vicinity Their three daughters and son were especially popular with the young people of Decatur

Since the death of Mr Fuller in 1890, Mrs Fuller has made her home with her daughters spending much of the time with Mrs Althea C Posey in Springfield Mrs Fuller leaves her daughters and son Mrs Charles V Foster of Portland Ore Mrs [illegible] of Warrenton and Mrs Clemency who now lives in Washington D C and Richard S Fuller of Abilene Kan Interment was in Warrenton Va

DEEDS RECORDED

T E Patterson to Stanley Sandvik of A of I T Pharo's sub division $

Bertha Dively to J C Skinner lot 7 block 1 Cassell's seventh addition $1

W E Harris to F T Barrie south 26 feet of lots 1 2 and 3 block 4 Powers sixth addition $1

J A Snow and to N C Gerard lot 1 block 2 Bellevue Place $1

L A Dengler to D F Schroll W half of 1 Crowder & Roberts also of $1

Walter Gaston to Emma F Watson 44 feet of lots 1 and 4 Bruegel & Alter addition $1

T H Latham to T D Hanks lot 8 block 2 H A Woods second addition $1

R B Ritchie to H E Haines tract in N E quarter S 16 2 east $1

Frank Yost to Mattie M Farmer lot 3 block 3 Third Rolling Mill addition $1

Adolphus Beer to R R Tenuse lot 24 block 1 Delmar Heights $1

MEETINGS

District Court of Honor No 9—regular meeting in new Woodmen hall 133½ West Main Friday night at 7:30 Members and friends invited to musical program followed by dance

Triumph Court Tribe of Ben Hur—Regular meeting Thursday night at 7:30 in the Odd Fellows hall East Main street

Scott Wilson Camp No 35 U S W V—Regular meeting at 7:45 Friday evening in the G A R hall The auxiliary meets at the same time and there will be entertainment and refreshments

NEED PETITION FOR COMMISSION FORM

Would Abolish Township Government.

THREE MEN IN POWER

Few Have Ever Changed Under Law.

The suggestion by one of the county board of supervisors that Macon county adopt a commission form of government has been discussed before by those interested The commission form of government is the first kind of government a new county has until it adopts township form of government There are now only about fourteen townships in Illinois that have so adopted the township form

As far as I know no county in the state has ever abandoned township form after its adoption There is no law that it should not be abandoned as the law provides a way of going back to the other system

ONE FIFTH OF VOTERS

To adopt the township form of government in favor of the commission form it would be necessary to secure a petition for the calling of an election one fifth of the number of legal voters cast at the last presidential election In the last election there were 4[illegible] votes cast in Macon county The 4[illegible] names would be needed in the petition

Should the petition prove sufficient the board of supervisors would have to call a special election for the voting on of the proposition to abandon the township form Should the election carry the townships would cease doing business a board of three commissioners would have to be elected The records of the town clerks would be placed with the county clerk the county commissioners would assume control of all property and dispose of it as it thought best

The county officers would be elected one for one year one for two and one for three years and as their terms expire another would be elected for the full term of four years

SEVEN AUTOS TAKE BOYS TO CAPITAL

Hi-A Boys Go on Sight Seeing Trip.

Seven automobile loads of Decatur boys of the Y M C A fifteen in all made an all day sight seeing trip to the Springfield Wednesday visiting the capitol of the Decatur Y M C A visited the capitol Lincoln monument and the centennial monument in Springfield and closed the day at Lincoln with a game with the Springfield Y that was won by the Decatur team 43 to 30 Schofield led the game against Springfield quintet was best for Decatur capital city by a score of [illegible]

The Decatur team won from the Springfield team 43 to 30, Charles Ashby Ellis Wheeler Rushrod Settle [illegible] Wagner [illegible] the winning team

The basketball team was [illegible] of Frank and Hall Harris Dunkle Clifford Mitchell Martin McClelland Philip Wheeler William Wheeler and Warren Trim

The Springfield Y boys came to return the visit and were beaten at the game by the score of 43 to 30

COLDS, PNEUMONIA, PREVALENT NOW

Visiting Nurses Find Many Cases—Due to Wet Weather

Colds pneumonia and influenza are playing havoc with the health of the city according to reports from the visiting nurses Colds are prevalent all the year but the cold wet weather of the last few days is particularly true among children

Miss Lydia Lincoln one of the nurses is absent from her duties for a week ill in her home

WANTS ELECTION FOR PLAYGROUND BOARD

Expectation to Have It About May 20.

Illinois Joliet was in Decatur Thursday and called on Lincoln and corporation counsel with the suggestion for having a petition circulated for the position of organizing a playground board in Decatur It is an idea that the election would not cost anything except the expense of print & ballots as the plan is to get volunteer clerks and judges to serve and have the polling places donated

Mr Schuele understood the corporation counsel to look on the plan favorably but there are some questions as to how it is to be worked up If the election is called it will be the expectation that it will be about the 20th of May

PEORIA VOTES FOR NEW COLISEUM

Peoria April 3—The proposition for erection of a public municipal coliseum was carried in the election Tuesday by a big majority with 14,663 voting in favor of the measure while only [illegible] voted against it

With a total vote of 22,041 a total of 11,022 ballots for the proposition was the number required to put it over

The vote in favor of the proposition exceeded this figure by 3,741

BORN

[illegible] Decatur and Macon County hospital a daughter

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